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FOREWORD

The record of our immigrant forebears and their descendants has been gathered through many years of research and is now recorded, not for glory but for guidance. Those that have gone before and whose struggles and deeds, aspirations and accomplishments, have become our inheritance, have contributed their portion to our lives for good or evil according to the quality of their living. Verily no man liveth to himself. In the study of our ancestors we gain knowledge which, if properly applied, will tend to the elevation of posterity.

Let the sages of the past speak. Edmund Burke says, "People will not look forward who never look backward," and no less a philosopher than Tacitus himself advises future generations to "think of your ancestors and your posterity."

Lord Macauly the great English historian says, "It is a sentiment which belongs to the higher and purer part of human nature and which adds no little to the strength of the states. A people which take no pride in the noble achievements of remote ancestors will never achieve anything worthy to be remembered with pride by remote descendents."

But a higher authority than those we have quoted has said in the Holy Writ, "The glory of children are their fathers" and Plutarch admonishes us that "it is indeed a desirable thing to be well descended but the glory belongs to our ancestors."

Without colorful phraseology, but with a plain statement of their lives as exemplified by the records, the deeds of Jacob König and Matheus König and their descendants are herewith presented to posterity for their thoughtful consideration.

The trials and tribulations of our immigrant ancestors on a small ship during a long voyage to America may be the better understood by reference to the personal account as narrated in that illuminating description of "Gottlieb Mittelberger's Journey to Pennsylvania in the year 1750." Our ancestors came the following year and conditions had not changed.

But they were seeking new opportunities of life in a new country and their coming to America has proved a most glorious heritage to their descendants. Thereby we are enjoying the blessings of the finest government in the world.

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Much is untold as but little is recorded of the devotion, courage and fortitude of our pioneer folk but that they were freedom-loving, God fearing and patriotic citizens is evident.

This record is presented as a memorial to Jacob König and Matheus König on the 200th anniversary of their arrival in America. Grateful acknowledgment is made of the helpful interest of the late Judge James W. King of Armstrong county, Pennsylvania, and to all those who have contributed in any way to the completion of this genealogy.

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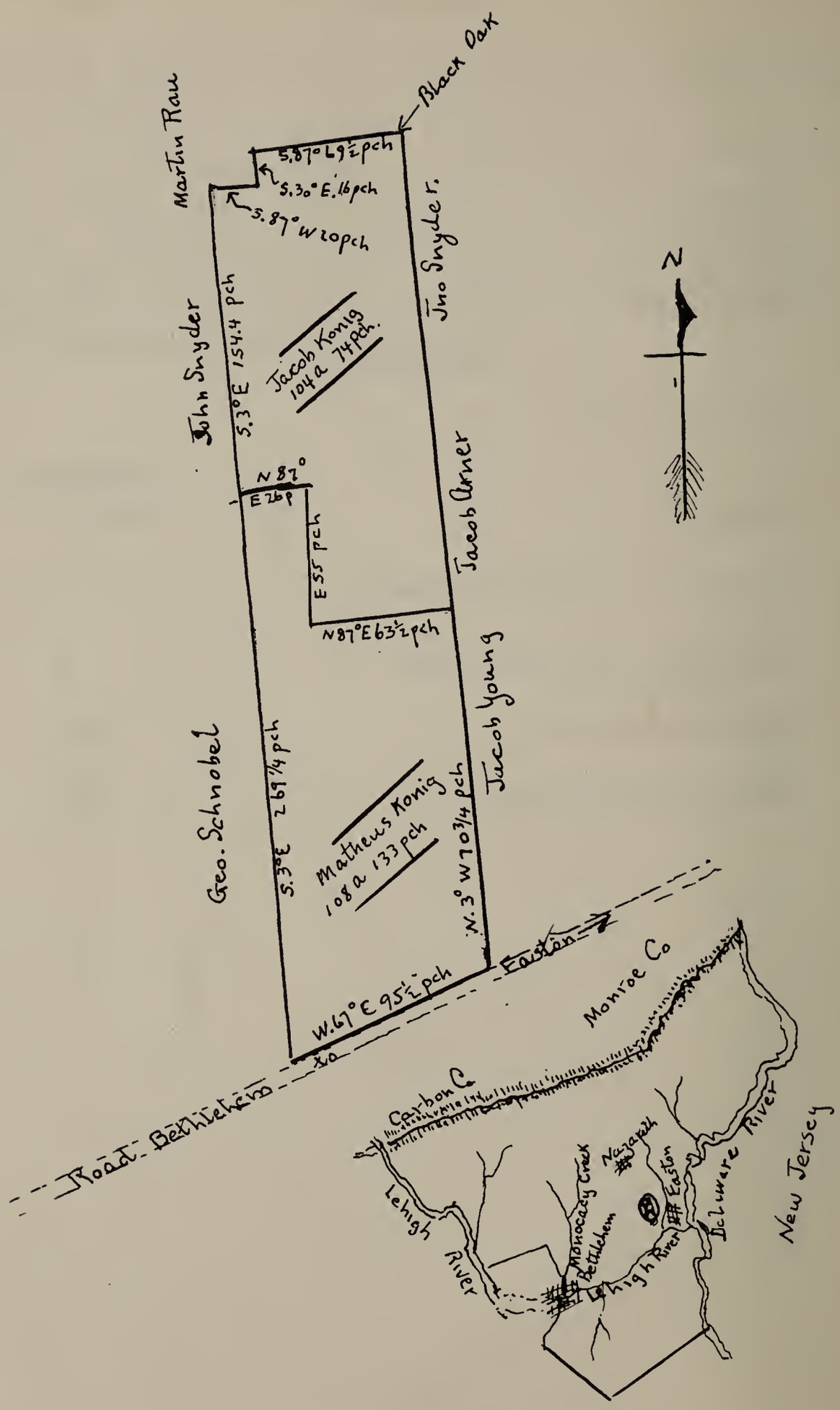

Draft of the lands on which the pioneers Jacob König and Matheus König settled in Northampton Co., Pa. The circle on map in lower right hand corner shows location of the farm in the county.

ORIGIN OF THE NAME AND FAMILY

The patronymic King is a very common one in the United States and there is scarcely a city of any consequence in which one or more members of the family have not resided within the past decade. In some parts of the country the family was represented early in the seventeenth century, and in 1790, according to the first census of the United States, eight hundred and seventy seven heads of families with more than four thousand persons bearing the family name were living in this country.[1] These were distributed through twelve states and territories. Those living in New Jersey were not included in the above figures as the records for the state were lost but it is known that a considerable number were residents of that state at the time.[2] In the state of Pennsylvania there were then one hundred and fifteen King families.

The various King families of America are not descendants of a common ancestor, nor indeed from one nationality. It is definitely known that they have come from German, English, Scotch-Irish, Swiss, and Dutch stock and probably from other nationalities. The German and Dutch families who came to America during colonial times wrote the name as they pronounced it in their native tongue,—Koenig or König but their descendants have anglicised it. The Swedish name Cone was first changed to Koenig and later to King.[3] The name also appears in its Latin form and we have therefore the Rex Family with its numerous progenity.

No doubt there were several reasons for these changes in the names but perhaps the predominating influence was the fact that the business of the courts was conducted in the English language and the German and Dutch forms were readily anglicised so that in several generations the original spelling entirely disappeared. It was a common custom for Germans who came to America prior to 1800 to so change their names. In the case of those coming during the nineteenth century, however, the German name Koenig is retained in the majority of cases.

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[1]A Century of Population Growth, p. 248.
[2]The Penn Germania, v. 3, p. 173.
[3]Penna Magazine, v. 2, p. 224.

There is considerable speculation as to the origin of the name as a patronymic. King means "Father" and takes us back to the patriarchal times when families grouped into clans, clans into tribes, and tribes into nations. The elders of the families formed the senate and each "assembly of elders" had its father (German, Konig; Sanskirt, janaka, a father; Greek, anax; Latin, senex, the old man of the tribe).[4]

Another writer offers the following explanation:

"Cyning, by contraction King, is clearly connected with the word 'cyn' or 'Kin'....I do no feel myself called upon to decide whether Cyning is strictly the patronymic of 'Cyn,' or whether it comes immediately from a cognate adjective (see Allen, Royal Prerogative, 176; Kemble, i. 153). It is enough if the two words are of the same origin, as is shown by a whole crowd of cognates, 'cynebarn,' 'cynecyn,' 'cynedom,' 'cynehelm,' 'cynehlaford'....In all these words 'cyn' has the meaning of 'royal.' The modern High-Dutch Konig is an odd corruption; but the elder form is 'Chuninc'....The notion of the King being the 'canning' or 'Cunning' man is an idea which could have occurred only to a mind on which all Teutonic philology was thrown away."[5]

From the foregoing it is apparent that the name King was not bestowed on the family in derision or in mockery as was the case with numerous other family names. Nor do we presume that it was transmitted generation after generation on account of an early ancestor occupying the position of ruler in some early clan. But the indications are that our earliest ancestor who was honored with the name occupied a prominent position in the village in which he lived, was of royal bearing, and carried himself with the dignity of a ruler.

The family name has been prominent both in Europe and America. Among those who gained distinction in Europe we find Emanual Koenig, 1658-1731, a Swiss medical writer; Frederick Koenig, 1774-1833, a German inventor; George Matthias Koenig, 1616-1699, Bibliothecs Vetus et Nova; John Gerard Koenig of Courland, 1728-1785, physician, botanist and traveler; and Samuel Koenig, 1712-1757, Mathematician and philosopher.

In America we have William R. King, 1786-1853, vice-president of the United States in 1852; Rufus King, 1755-1827, an American Statesman who was twice minister to England;

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[4]A Dictionary of Phrase and Fable by Rev. E. Cobham Brewer, LL.D., p. 478.

[5]E. A. Freeman, Hist. of the Norman Conquest of England, ch. 3, sect. 1 and note L.

Clarence King, 1842-1901, geologist; Grace Elizabeth King, 1858-1932, writer, and numerous others who were prominent in various fields of activity.

It is not claimed that any of these were members of the particular branch of the family covered by this genealogy but they are simply cited to show that the family is not only a numerous one but that the name is one of which to be proud.

Several reunions of the descendants of Jacob König and Matheus König have been held. The first was held in Oakland Park, near Bethlehem, in Northampton County, Pa. in 1910. This was a gathering of the descendants of Jacob König. In the same year the descendants of Matheus König held a reunion in Lenape Park, near Kittanning, Armstrong County, Pa. These reunions were held for several years only and then discontinued.

Apparently the family covered by this genealogy is of German descent with a probability of Swiss extraction. It has been impossible to secure evidence as to the birthplace of the immigrants from across the sea, but their names and writing were German. It is very likely that they came from the lower Palatinate region in Germany.

There is some variation in the orthography of the name as found in the early records in America. The generally accepted forms are König and Koenig. But we find on a tombstone in Northampton County, Pa., the spelling "Kuenich" and Rev. John Casper Stever in his records writes it "Kuenig." At this date all the descendants write the name "King."

It has not been determined if a Coat-of-Arms had been bestowed upon any of our ancestors. Investigation along this line has been impossible inasmuch as the European ancestry of the immigrants is unknown. A number of heraldic devices granted to persons bearing the name König[6] are on record but in the absence of ancestral records prior to the arrival of our forefathers in America there is no reason to assume that any of them can be considered in connection with our family.

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[6]See J. Siebmacher's "Wappenbuch."

THE KING FAMILY

On 7 October, 1751, the ship Janet, William Cunningham, Captain, arrived at Philadelphia from Rotterdam, last from Cowes. There were on board this vessel two hundred and twenty passengers of whom three bore the family name of König (King). Their names were Abraham Konig, Jacob König and Mattheus König.[7]

These pioneers, being of German origin, conversed in the German language, wrote in the same language and their descendants continued to use their German name König for several generations. Gradually they assumed the anglicised form "King," due to the English language being spoken in the courts and taught in the schools. To avoid confusion the name King will be used in this record as the family name.

It is impossible to state definitely what relationship existed between these three persons but the following facts may indicate a solution of the problem.

First—Abraham König did not sign his name to the Oath of Allegiance and Abjuration at the port of entry as required by the provincial government, as did Jacob and Mattheus. His name was inscribed by the clerk and no trace has been found of him after leaving the ship.

Second—Jacob König was unmarried on arrival at Philadelphia, it being recorded in the baptismal record of Maria Magdaline, daughter of Mattheus König, in 1754, that he was single. He was likely a lad when he left his native country.

Third—The records of the birth and baptisms of the first born of both Jacob König and Matheus König, namely Mathias, son of Jacob, born 1756, and Maria, daughter of Matheus König, born 1754, indicate that Jacob König and Matheus König were married about the same time and that there was no great difference in their ages.

Fourth—Jacob König and Matheus König bought and lived on adjoining farms, they were sponsors on several occasions at the

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[7]"Rupp's Collection of 30,000 Names of Immigrants in Pennsylvania," page 267; also, "Pennsylvania Archives," Second series, Vol. XVII, p. 347; and "Pennsylvania German Pioneers" by Strassburger and Hinke, vol. I, p. 474.

baptism of each other's children, and Jacob named his first born after his brother Matheus.

The possibilities are that an entire family set sail for the new world; that the wife died on the long journey leaving the husband and the two sons to enter the new world alone; that the father, Abraham König, also was taken sick, was too weak to sign the Declaration of Allegiance, died soon after leaving the vessel, and therefore no trace of him has been found; that the two boys, Jacob and Matheus, left to care for themselves in a strange land, secured adjoining farms and raised their families in the same neighborhood.

1. ABRAHAM KÖNIG, for the purpose of this genealogical study, is therefore presumed, from the evidence at hand, to be the father and that the children were:

2. Jacob King, b. d. 3 Aug. 1781
3. Matheus King, b. d. July 1810

2. JACOB KING (Abraham) arrived at the port of Philadelphia, Pa., 7 Oct. 1751. How soon after his landing he left Philadelphia county and located in what is now Northampton county[8] is not definitely known but he became a pioneer settler at an early date. According to the baptismal record of his daughter Maria Elizabeth it is certain that he was a resident of the county in 1764. In Henry's manuscript "History of Northampton County" it is stated that Jacob König had thirty acres of cleared land and 160 acres of woodland in 1768. In 1770 he and his brother Matheus were assessed as farmers in Bethlehem township, Northampton County.

From Calvin G. Beitel's "The Penn titles to Northampton County lands," page 15, we learn that he obtained an original Penn title to land in what was known as the "Drylands" where

[8]The Province of Pennsylvania was originally divided by William Penn into three counties, Philadelphia, Chester and Bucks. At the time of arrival of Jacob King, Northampton County was a part of Bucks County which then extended northward to the Kittantiny mountains or "as far as the land might be purchased from the Indians." In fact it comprised all the territory in Pennsylvania north of Philadelphia county. In 1752 Northampton county was erected out of Bucks and contained 5321 square miles and until 1812 the county included all or portion of the present counties of Northumberland, Wayne, Schuylkill, Lehigh, Columbia, Pike, Monroe and Carbon. Lehigh county was erected in 1812 out of part of Northampton. The present area of Northampton County is 370 square miles.

he engaged in farming. This tract was a part of the Manor of Fernor. It contained 200 acres more or less.

Jacob King appeared before John Arndt, a Justice of the Peace, at Easton, on 15 Sept. 1777, and subscribed to the oath of allegiance as directed by "An Act of General Assembly of Pennsylvania, passed the 13th day of June 1777," the record being entered in the Prothonatory's office of Northampton County. As evidence of his patriotism for his adopted country we find he enlisted as a private of the 7th class in Captain George Nolf's company from the Middle Bethlehem township 5 June 1780. (Penna. Arch. s. 5, v. 8, p. 129). On 20 Mch. 1781 he was enrolled a member of the Second Battalion, Northampton County Militia and served at sundry times forty five days and was discharged 12 Apr. 1781. (Pa. Arch. s. 5, v. 8, p. 145.)

Jacob King married Anna Catharine Illick,[9] the date of marriage not being known. However as he was single on 24 Mch. 1754, according to the baptismal record of Maria Magdalena, daughter of his brother Matheus King, and his first child was born 29 Sept. 1756, the date of marriage would be between these two dates. His wife is recorded as a communicant member of the old Williams twp. church in 1763 the record being given in the Proceedings of the Pennsylvania German Society, Vol. 18. She was buried at Hecktown by the Rev. Fredericus L. Herman 8 May 1787 at age 53 yrs.

Jacob King died prior to 3 Aug. 1781. His estate was appraised at the time of his death at £ 495. Inasmuch as he had no will, his wife was granted letters of administration, her bond being signed 9 Aug. 1781 by George Schnabel of Bethlehem twp. and George Michael of Forks twp. Partition proceedings were started in the Orphans court at Easton, Pa., on 26 Mch. 1792 for division of the farm land among the heirs. As the land could not

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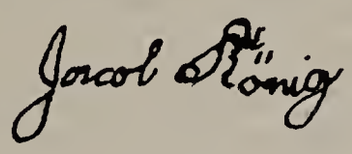
[9]The ancestor of the Illick Family in America was Hans Rudolf Illig, who arrived in Philadelphia in ship "Dragon," Charles Hargrave, master, 30 Sept. 1732. He was born in Büedigen, Germany, near Frankfort, a.m. He settled near the old Williams twp church, Northampton Co., Pa. and was a member of that congregation. Among the earthly possessions he brought with him from his homeland was the family Bible printed in German in 1724. His home was one of the substantial stone houses so familiar in that section. Rudolf Illig and his wife Magdalena had children: Anna Catharine, wife of Jacob King; John Christopher, b. 28 Jan. 1746, d. 1818, mar. Elizabeth Huber, b. 15 Sept. 1746, d. 25 Apr. 1816; Anna Margaret, mar. 10 Oct. 1758 John Meixell; Maria Magdalena wife of Philip Meixell, d. 13 May 1816; Maria Christina, b. 4 Dec. 1741.

justly be divided and the eldest son, Matthias, declining to accept the said premises, Jacob King, the second son accepted the same at the appraised valuation of £ 495.



His signature is found on the Oath of Abjuration which he took when he arrived in America and is here reproduced.

The children of Jacob and Catharine King were:

4. a. Matthias, b. 29 Sept. 1756, d. 12 Aug. 1816.
   b. Anna Maria, b. 25 June 1758; bap. 9 July 1758; witnesses: John Meixell and Anna Maria Illig, the baptism being recorded in the Tohicken church records in Bucks Co.
5. c. Jacob, b. about 1759; d. 23 Mch. 1832.
   d. Margaret, b. d. ; she was a sponsor at the baptism of John Philip Meixell 27 Apr. 1777 at which time she was single; mar. Philip Rieser a farmer in Forks twp., Northampton Co., Pa.; a member of Captain John Arndt's Company which was a part of the Flying Camp, commanded by Col. Hart. This company participated in the Battle of Long Island 27 Aug. 1776. He d. 1842 and had children: Jacob; John; Elizabeth wife of John Paulus; Mary wife of Christian Best, m. 6 Apr. 1824; Catharine, b. 8 Nov. 1780 wife of Paul Flick, m. 8 June 1834; Peter, b. 26 Feb. 1781; Matthias b. 5 Nov. 1785.
6. e. Adam, b. 17 May 1762, d. 13 Aug. 1827.
   f. Maria Elizabeth (known in the court records as Elizabeth) b. 2 Jan. 1764, bap. 19 Feb. 1764, witnesses: Philip Schneider and wife Maria Elizabeth. She mar. 1785-6, (she was single Aug. 7, 1785), Jacob Young, b. 21 Jan. 1760, d. 24 Mch. 1827; she d. 1 Oct. 1829, both bur. at Hecktown. Issue: Johan George, b. 1 Aug. 1786; Henrich b. 9 Sept. 1780; Maria, b. 22 Oct. 1792, m. Thos. Meyer; David, b. 31 Mch. 1811; Jacob; Anna Catharine, b. 4 June 1798, mar. Henry Haas; Elizabeth wife Wm. Janses; Abraham; Susanna wife of Geo. Snable; Peggy; Sarah Ann, b. 10 Oct. 1808.

g. Magdalena, b. d. ; married Jacob Buss. They lived in Bethlehem twp. where they owned a property adjacent to lands of her brother, John King. They had a son John born 3 Sept. 1791.

h. Anna Christina, (known as Christiana in the court records), b. 15 Apr. 1765, bap. 26 May 1765, witnesses: Matheus and Christina Konig; mar. David Kutz, s. David and Catharine Kutz. He was b. 4 July 1764, d. 30 July 1830 of dropsy. They had nine children, 6 living at time of his death—3 sons and 3 daughters. They were mar. between 40 and 50 yrs. She d. of dropsy 20 July 1835. The Democrat and Argus of Easton said of her, "through her long life she was respected by all who knew her."

7. i. Johannes, b. 20 Nov. 1766, d. 24 May 1823.
8. j. Christopher, b. about 1768; d. about 1838.
9. k. Johann George, b. 17 Sept. 1770; d. about 1815.

3. MATHEUS KING (Abraham) came to America 7 Oct. 1751 through the port of Philadelphia. Sometime thereafter he located in Northampton Co., Pa., where he settled with his brother Jacob in Bethlehem twp., now Palmer twp. There they had adjoining farms. A deed for the farm consisting of 108 acres and 133 perches was given by John Penn and Richard Penn by their attorney John R. Coates, to Mathias Konick on 16 Aug. 1802 but this farm was occupied by him years before the date of the deed.

In 1770 he was assessed as a farmer in Bethlehem twp., in 1783 he was assessed for 185 acres and four horses and in 1788 for 178 acres four horses and four head of cattle.

Matheus King was a member of the Reformed and Lutheran congregation in Dryland at an early date. It is recorded in their church records that "Matthews Konig war Bau Meister vor die kirck in Trockenland in 1764." (i.e., "Matheus King was the builder of the church in Dryland.")

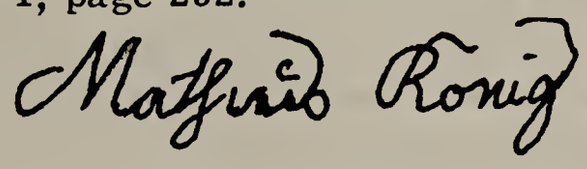
Matheus King was frequently called upon to assist in the settlement of estates in Northampton County. On 27 Oct. 1775 he was an appraiser of the estate of Peter Young. (File 679, Register of Wills office.) On 7 Jan. 1778 Elizabeth Roth, widow, Adam Roth, Conrad Kocher and Matheus King, all of Bethlehem twp., were appointed administrators of the estate of David Roth and the inventory was taken by Conrad Kocher and Matheus King. (File 805, Register of Wills.) On 30 Jan. 1779 he with George Keck witnessed the will of George Wolf, father of George Wolf who was Governor of Penna. 1829-1835. (File 1349, Re. of Wills.)

In 1784 he was a corporal in Capt. Michel's Company, Northampton County Militia.[10] He married Eva Christiana Hartzel, daughter of George and Catharine Hartzel.[11] She was b. 28 Jan. 1739. Both he and his wife were confirmed at the Blue church 11 Nov. 1753.

In 1794 he moved to Mt. Pleasant twp., Westmoreland County, Pa., with his family. Here he purchased 50 acres of land from William McGeary, Jr. and his wife Mary on July 4 of that year. This land with a further purchase of twenty-two acres and fifteen perches which he bought on 11 May 1796 was a part of the late proprietor's Manor of Sewickley. It later came into the possession of his son John King.

It appears that his daughters, Maria Magdalena and her husband, Nicholas Weitzel, and Catharine and her husband John Spielman had migrated to Westmoreland county as early as 1776[12] inasmuch as the baptism of their first born children, namely Anna Catharine Weitzel and John Spielman are recorded in that year in the records of Zion Evangelical Lutheran church (Harrolds church), Westmoreland county.

Matheus King died July 1810. His will, written in German and dated 12 Feb. 1807, was probated 31 July 1810 at Greensburg, Westmoreland Co. and recorded in the Register of Will's Office in will book 1, page 252.



Copy of signature appearing on inventory—Jan. 18, 1778.
(Register of Wills, Northampton County, Pa., file #805.)

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[10]Pennsylvania Archives, series 6, volume 3, page 817.

[11]George Hartzel by virtue of a certain Proprietory Warrant bearing date 20 Sept. 1737, became entitled to certain land in Lower Saucon twp, Northampton Co., Pa. He died prior to Oct. 1796. His wife was Catharine. They had the following children: 1. John of Lower Saucon twp, b. 27 Feb. 1740; 2. Frederick, of Lower Saucon twp.; 3. Adam of Lower Saucon twp; 4. George of Lower Saucon twp.; 5. Eva Christina, b. 28 Jan. 1739, wife of Matheus King; 6. Maria Margaretha, b. 20 Apr. 1743, wife of Philip Stuber of Allen twp; 7. Susanna wife of George Thierhammer (Dörrhamer) of Allen twp.; Magdalena wife of Jacob Gross of Bethlehem twp. (Book C, Vol. 2, page 335, Recorder of Deeds, Easton, Pa.)

[12]The "New Purchase" was opened for settlement Apr. 3, 1769 and several thousand warrants were applied for on the first day. Fully 200 families of Penna Germans chiefly from counties of Northampton, Berks, Lehigh, Lancaster and York crossed the mountains prior to 1800 and took up lands.

The issue of Matheus and Christina King were:

a. Maria Magdalena, b. 21 Mch. 1754, bap. 24 Mch. 1754, sponsors: Jacob Konig and Maria Magdalena Hartzel, both single, the baptism being recorded in the records of the old Williams twp. church, Northampton Co., Pa.[13] She was known as "Magdalena" or "Mollie." In 1775 she married Nicholas Whitesell (Weitzel) and had issue: 1. Anna Catharine, b. 1 Apr. 1776; 2. Charlotte, b. 18 Apr. 1778, mar. Adam Marsh; 3. Susanna Catharine, b. 18 Feb. 1780, mar. Daniel Brinig; 4. Philip; 5. John; 6. Jonathan; 7. Maria mar. Christian Shutt; 8. Elizabeth mar. Mr. Stewart; she was b. 15 Feb. 1772 in Northampton Co. and moved to Westmoreland Co. presumably about 1776; 9. Eva Christina, b. 30 Jan. 1774.

b. Catharine, b. d. mar. John Spielman, d. 1811. They resided in Mt. Pleasant twp., Westmoreland Co., Pa. His will is dated 31 Aug. 1811, probated 20 Nov. 1811. Issue: John b. 18 June 1776; Christina, b. 10 Feb. 1778, mar. Joseph Smith; Regina, b. 9 Apr. 1781, mar. Michael Fry; Catharine mar. Adam Baer; Jonas; Hannah mar. Henry Lose; Susannah Margaret mar. Martin Bechtel; George Frederick; Elizabeth, b. 15 Dec. 1773.

10.c. John Jonathan, b. 31 Oct. 1757; d. 16 June 1837.

d. Susanna, b. 12 Sept. 1759, bap. 14 Oct. 1759 as recorded in the Tohicken church, Bucks Co., Pa.; d. 1 Feb. 1764.

e. Eva Christina, b. 23 May 1761; bap. 1 June 1761; sponsors, Melchor Stecher and wife Eva Christina. (Dryland church records. She mar. Jacob Wolf, a member of Co. 8, Second Battalion, Northampton Co. Militia. Issue: 10 children. On 3 June, 1831 Jacob Wolf and wife gave a release to the executor of her father's estate in which they state they are of Armstrong Co. She signed the document by a mark. She was known as "Teany." Jacob Wolf's will was probated 19 Dec. 1838.

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[13]Records of the Old Williams twp. church as published in Proceedings of the Pennsylvania German Society, vol. 18.

11. f. George Adam, b. 11 Feb. 1765, d. 9 Apr. 1843.
g. Rachel, b. 25 Jan. 1767, bap. 15 Mch. 1767. (Hecktown church record.) She was baptised "Regina." In 1784 she married Isaac Townsend, b. 27 Dec. 1763, d. 3 Nov. 1837.[14] She d. 17 Mch. 1855. Both are buried in the old Hines graveyard near Avonmore, Westmoreland Co., Pa.[15] They owned the farm on which the Iron Works and city of Vandergrift are now built.
12. h. Johannes, b. 26 Jan. 1770; d. 1846.
i. George David, b. 14 Jan. 1773, bap. 24 Oct. 1773; witnesses, Jonas and Catharine Hartsell. This child presumably died shortly after birth inasmuch as the next son born was given the same name. This was a common custom.
13. j. George David, b. 14 Jan. 1776, bap. 21 Jan. 1776, witnesses: Geo. and Susanna Doorhamer.
14. k. Henry, b. d. prior to 1844.

4. MATTHIAS KING (Jacob-Abraham) was born in Northampton county, Pa. 29 Sept. 1756 and according to the records of the Tohicken church in Bucks Co. he was baptised 16 Oct. of the same year. The witnesses were Matheus König and his wife Christina. On 18 Apr. 1778, having reached his majority, he took the oath of allegiance to the provincial government before

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[14]Regina King and Isaac Townsend are said to have been married in 1784. Judge J. W. King says his authority is H. W. Townsend who obtained the date from Mrs. Clara Marshall of Leechberg, dau. of Margaret Townsend Wray. She states the marriage occurred in Northampton Co. A portrait of Regina is in possession of Mrs. F. C. Townsend, South Bend twp.

[15]The Townsend Family trace their ancestry to Robert Townsend who with his wife and child migrated from England in 1682 in the ship "Welcome," Robert Greenaway, Commander. (Day's Historical Collections, page 482.) Isaac Townsend, a descendant, was born in Chester Co., Pa., in 1763. When a young man he moved to Kiskiminetas twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. where he engaged in farming and the manufacture of salt. He was a Quaker. He mar. Regina König and had children: 1. John, b. 21 Oct. 1786; 2. Isaac, b. 31 Dec. 1787, d. 7 Aug. 1866, mar. 1818 Mary, eldest dau. of John Hill; she d. 9 June 1846. 3. Joseph, b. 23 Oct. 1789, d.y.; 4. Elizabeth, b. 28 Oct. 1790; 5. Henry, b. 27 Feb. 1795; 6. Robert, b. 3 Dec. 1796; 7. Joseph, b. 10 Aug. 1798; 8. William, b. 8 Oct. 1800; 9. Mary, b. 12 Dec. 1802, mar. 1st. Simon Turney, 2nd Chas. Gantz; 10. Abraham, b. 11 Aug. 1805; 11. George, b. 17 Mch. 1808; 12. Susannah, b. 29 Mch. 1812, mar. Daniel Ulam.

Samuel Rea as shown by the records in the Prothonotary's office in Northampton County.

In 1788 he was reported a resident and taxpayer in Bethlehem township[16] with 200 acres of land, 2 horses and 2 head of cattle. Matthias was a prominent citizen of Northampton county and was frequently called upon in the settlement of estates. On 11 Dec. 1779 he was appointed one of the administrators in the estate of George Kleiss. (File 876, Register of Wills.) In the estate of Jacob Hartzell we find his signature on the inventory dated 28 May 1789. (File 943, Register of Wills.) On 25th Feb. 1789 he was one of the appraisers in the estate of Martin Ritter in Nazareth twp. (File 1275, Register of Wills.) He was also one of the administrators in the estate of Margaret Knecht, the bond being dated 6 Dec. 1789. (File 1302, Register of Wills.) He also inventoried the estate of George Wolf, father of Governor Wolf of Pennsylvania, 26 Nov. 1790. (File 1349, Register of Wills.)

In addition to farming he was elected one of the assessors of Northampton county 11 Oct. 1780. In this election he received 439 votes. He was a tax collector in Bethlehem twp. as early as 1780 as will be noted by the copy of a receipt issued: "Aug. the 26, 1780 then received the county tax of Jacob Loesch to wit: £88 per me. Matthias King, Collector." We find he held the office again in 1783, he having served in the interim in the militia. He was also collector in 1788.

On 6 Feb. 1780 he and Miss Meickels were sponsors at the baptism of Christina Illick according to the records of the Williams twp. congregation. In 1780, 1781 and 1782 he was a private in Capt. Geo. Nolf's company, Northampton County Militia and in the latter year he served as a corporal of the company. (Pa. Arch. s. 6, v. XI, p. 253.)

His father died in 1781 when he was still a single man. Although entitled under the law to two shares in his father's estate, he being the eldest son, he showed his magnaminious spirit in agreeing to accept one child's share only, a one-tenth part which amounted to £45. 5. 8.[17]

[16]The original Bethlehem twp. included the entire area of the present Upper and Lower Nazareth twps. There was apparently but slight change in the boundaries as constituted when the new county of Northampton was created in 1752. A petition of Dec. 1787, was confirmed at the June Term of the Court of Quarter Sessions of Northampton Co. in 1788 for the setting off into a new twp. which was called Nazareth township. This latter township was further divided into Upper and Lower Nazareth townships in 1807.

[17]Clerk of Orphan's Court, Northampton Co., Pa. Book E, p. 278.

He married Eva Elizabeth, daughter of Melchoir[18] and Catharine Young, 6 Mch. 1782. She was b. 27 Jan. 1758 and d. 12 Feb. 1813.[19] Matthias King died 12 Aug. 1816 and both he and his wife are buried in the Hecktown cemetery. He left no will, his estate being administered by his sons-in-law, Christian Braun, Jr. and William Lawall. The U.S. Census of 1790 reported one person of his name in the county with a family consisting of one male over 16 years of age and one female. The children of Matthias and Eva Elizabeth King were:

a. Maria Catharine, b. 17 Nov. 1782, bap. 23 Feb. 1783; witnesses: Jacob Konig and Catharine Young.[20] She mar. Christian Braun, Jr. 12 June 1804[21] and d. 21 Sept. 1853 and is buried with her husband at Hecktown. He was b. 10 Nov. 1781, d. 17 Apr. 1843. He was a soldier in the War 1812. In the Orphans court records 16 Nov. 1816 she is known as "Polly." They had no children but adopted John P. Beisel.

b. Elizabeth, b. 26 June 1785, bap. 7 Aug. 1785; witnesses: Jacob Young and Elizabeth Konig. She mar. Wm. Heinrich Lawall 1 Sept. 1805 and d. 24 Feb. 1828. He was b. 30 Dec. 1780, d. 3 Dec. 1832. Both are buried at Hecktown.

c. Susanna, b. 4 May 1787, bap. 10 June 1787; d. 21 Feb. 1866. She mar. Nicholas Arner, b. 25 Sept. 1780, d. 8 Apr. 1839. Issue: Susanna, b. 12 May 1823.

d. Jacob, b. 22 Mch. 1790, bap. 15 May 1790; d. 10 Aug. 1803; bur. Hecktown.

e. Simon, b. 28 Apr. 1795, d. 16 Apr. 1796; bur. at Hecktown.

15. d. Simon, b. 27 Oct. 1796, d. 30 Mch. 1834.

5. JACOB KING (Jacob-Abraham) was born about 1759. He was a farmer in Bethlehem twp., Northampton Co., Pa. On 15 June 1778 he took the oath of Allegiance to the Provincial

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[18]Melcher Jung (Melchoir Young) came to America in ship Two Brothers, Thomas Arnot, Master, from Rotterdam, but last from Cowes 7 br. 1751. His wife was Catharine Grup. Their daughter Eva Elizabeth became the wife of Matthias King.

[19]The Old Graveyards of Northampton and Adjacent Counties by John Eyerman, p. 17.

[20]Records of St. John's Lutheran church, Easton, Pa.

[21]See will of Christian Braun in Registers office, Easton.

Government before John Arndt as shown by the records in the Prothonotary's office at Easton. Ten years later he appears on the assessment rolls as a single man.

He was twice married. His first wife was Catharine Fogel, daughter of Leonard Fogel. She died prior to 1800. His second wife was Elizabeth, dau. of George Fetterman.[22]

Jacob King and his brother Adam were privates in the Northampton County Militia, being members of Capt. Nolf's Company in 1781 and 1782 and are shown on the military rolls as having received depreciation pay. (Pa. Arch. s. 5, v. 8, p. 145, 163, 182 and 523.) In 1782 Jacob King was a private, 5th class, 6th Co., 6 Bat., Militia of Northampton Co. commanded by Col. Henry Geiger, Maj. Frederick Saylor. (P. A. s. 5, v. 8, p. 512.) He was also a private in Capt. Michel's Company in 1784. (P. A. s. 6, v. 3, p. 18, 821), and was in the service at Wyoming 31 July to 25 Aug. 1785, in Capt. Lewis Stecher's Co., 6th Bat. N. C. Militia. (P. A., s. 2, v. 14, p. 603; s. 5, v. 8, p. 475; and s. 5, v. 12, p. 826.)

On 8 Dec. 1806 he was one of the administrators in the estate of Elizabeth Snyder of Bethelehem twp., widow of Philip Snyder. (File 2417 Reg. of Wills.) After the death of his father he acquired the homestead having accepted it at partition proceedings in the Orphans Court. He d. 23 Mch. 1832 and is reported in "Der Friedens-Bothe as "a highly respected citizen." His will dated 14 June 1831 was probated 9 Apr. 1832. Had issue:

First marriage

a. Elizabeth, b. d. ; mar. Daniel Buss.

b. Maria, b. 26 Dec. 1790, bap. 19 Feb. 1791;[24] mar. Henry Miller; res. More twp., Northampton Co., Pa. He d. about 1828.

16. c. Jacob, b. 11 Mch. 1793, d. 15 Nov. 1868.

Second marriage

d. Johannes, b. 28 July 1799, d. 10 Sept. 1856 with palsy.

e. Catharine, b. 3 Sept. 1801.[25] She mar. John, s. of Jacob and Anna Bidleman. b. 19 Apr. 1799, d. 2 June 1821.

f. Magdalena, commonly known as "Polly," b. 27 Sept. 1805. She mar. John Klaus, 4 Jan. 1824. He was a cordwainer and resided in Lower Nazareth twp.

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[22]Records of clerk of Orphans Court, Easton, Pa. Book 12, p. 88.

[23]Easton Public Library.

[24]Records of Dryland church, Hecktown, Pa.

[25]Settlers of the Forks of the Delaware, p. 153.

17. g. David, b. 12 Apr. 1808, d. 26 Jan. 1878.
h. Hannah, b. 22 Mch. 1814; mar. David Wagner. According to her father's will she was single 4 June 1831.

6. ADAM KING (Jacob-Abraham) was born in Bethlehem twp., Northampton Co., Pa. 17 May 1762. In a tax list of 1788, published in the Penna. Archives, he is entered as a single man. Sometime between that date and 1791 he mar. Catharine, dau. of John Dewalt.[26] She was b. 20 Dec. 1774, d. 5 Mch. 1842. They resided in Forks twp. where they had a farm. Members of Reformed church.

Adam King served as a private in Capt. Geo. Nolf's Co., Northampton County Militia in 1782. (Pa. Arch. s. 5, v. 8, p. 138.) and in 1784 he was a member of Capt. Michel's Co. (Pa. Arch. s. 6, v. 3, p. 818, 821.) He was one of the executors of his father-in-law's estate in 1814. He d. 13 Aug. 1827 and was buried in Easton but later transferred to Farmersville where his wife was also buried. The Argus of Easton in reporting his death referred to him as George Adam King and states that he was "an old and respected citizen." Had issue:

a. Sarah, b. 17 Sept. 1791, bap. 15 Oct. 1791; witnesses: George and Maria Hartzel. She died of palsy 2 June 1863 and is buried at Farmersville, Pa. She was unmarried.
b. Adam, b. 15 Dec. 1794, d. 6 Dec. 1850 and was buried at Farmersville. He was a shoemaker and carpetweaver and was unmarried. Adam Koenig was one of the bondsmen in the estate of John Yeager of Forks twp. and also one of the appraisers 2 Apr. 1838.
c. Jacob, b. 1 Apr. 1797, bap. 1 June 1797; sponsors were George and Anna Catharine Koenig. He resided in Palmer twp. and was unmarried. He d. 8 Feb. 1858 and was buried at Farmersville. He was a member of the Reformed church.

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[26]John Theobald (Dewalt) arrived in Philadelphia in Snow Ketty, Theophilus Barnes Commander, 16 Oct. 1752. He was a pioneer farmer in Bethlehem twp. where he purchased a farm as early as 1778, one mile n. of Butztown. His will dated 28 Dec. 1810 states he is advanced in years. Died 1814; buried in a private graveyard one mile from Butztown. Issue: John; Barbara; Margaret; Mary; Christina; and Catharine wife of Adam King.

18. d. Daniel, b. 25 Nov. 1799, d. 25 Feb. 1880.
19. e. John, b. 8 Aug. 1802, d. 11 Jan. 1876.
    f. Joseph, b. 3 Nov. 1804, bap. 12 Feb. 1805 by Rev. Thos. Pomp; sponsors Isaac and Elizabeth Kuhn; mar. 13 Feb. 1864 to Sabina, dau. of Geo. and Elizabeth (Kreidler) Brader of Bethlehem twp. She was b. 8 Feb. 1831, d. 26 June 1891 of dropsy. Joseph King was a farmer, died 26 Nov. 1874. Both buried at Farmersville. No issue.
    g. Elizabeth, b. 30 Dec. 1806, bap. 6 May 1807; witnesses: John Adam Willauer and Elizabeth; mar. David Campbell, a cordwainer 11 Nov. 1834 by Rev. Joshua Yeager. Resided at Farmersville.
    h. David, b. 1 Mch. 1810, bap. by Rev. Thos. Pomp; sponsors: Peter Maurer. He resided in Forks twp. and later in Salisbury twp., Lehigh Co., Pa. On Sept. 1879 his nephews, Geo. H. and Samuel F. King were appointed administrators of his estate. He d. 25 Apr. 1878 of kidney disease. Bur. at Farmersville. Unmarried.
20. i. Samuel, b. 30 Nov. 1812, d. 1874.

7. JOHANNES KING (Jacob-Abraham) was born in Bethlehem twp., Northampton Co., Pa. 20 Nov. 1766, bap. 26 Dec. 1766; witnesses: Johannes and Magdalena Knecht, same being recorded in the records of the Hecktown church. He resided in Lower Nazareth twp. where he followed his trade as a blacksmith. He married (prior to 1792) Maria Catharine Fogel, a daughter of Andreas Fogel[27] of Lower Nazareth twp. She was b. 14 Nov. 1771, bap. 22 Dec. 1771. On 23 Oct. 1802 Johannes King purchased land containing 30 acres and 58 purchases and the usual

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[27]Andreas Vogel (Fogel) came to America in ship Christian, Capt. Thomas Brady from Rotterdam, but last from Cowes, 13 Sept. 1749. He settled in Nazareth twp., Northampton Co., Pa. as a farmer. He saw service in the Revolutionary War as a private in Capt. John Santee's Company, 2nd Bat., Northampton County Militia 4 Sept. 1781. (Pa. Arch. s. 5, v. 8, p. 151.) He and his wife Christiana, nee Gradwohl (b. 28 Feb. 1751, d. 25 Aug. 1827) raised a family of five children: 1. Maria Catharine, b. 14 Nov. 1771 wife of Johannes King; 2. Abraham, b. 3 June 1772, d. 31 May 1834; 3. Catharine wife of Nicholas Kraemer; 4. Elizabeth wife of Andrew Shall; 5. Christiana wife of John Frederick. Andreas Vogel was a farmer and was b. 2 Oct. 1734. His will was probated 1 Feb. 1802 he having d. 29 Jan. 1802. He and his wife buried at Hecktown.

allowance of six per cent for roads, etc., being a part of the Manor of Fermor, from John and Richard Penn, proprietaries of Pennsylvania. (Deed Book C. 3, p. 58, Easton, Pa.)[28] A further purchase of land of three acres is recorded 30 Sept. 1811. John King was sergeant in Nov. 13, 1814 in Capt. Jacob Shurtz's Company of the 18th section of Rifflemen commanded by Col. Thomas Humphreys. (Pa. Arch. 2nd ser. vol. XII, page 445.) He was a member of the Reformed Congregation at Dryland church. He d. 24 May 1823. Had issue:

a. Elizabeth, b. 1792; buried 7 Sept. 1794, age 2 years, at Hecktown.

b. Solomon, b. 7 Jan. 1796, d. 9 Aug. 1800, bur. at Hecktown.

21. c. David, b. Dec. 21, 1797, d. 4 Mch. 1858.

d. Lydia, b. 25 Feb. 1799; mar. (prior to 1823) Philip Unangst, b. 1793. They had 6 children: Matilda, Mary, Julia, Charles, George and Samuel. Philip Unangst was a weaver by trade; res. Bethlehem twp. He was a son of John(?) and Elizabeth Unangst. Lydia d. 16 Apr. 1863.

22. e. Thomas, b. 20 Nov. 1803; d. 27 Mch. 1886.

f. Julianna, b. 13 Feb. 1805; mar. Anthony Dech, son of Antoni and Catharine Dech, a tailor, May 18, 1824. She d. 9 Sept. 1840; bur. at Hecktown. Had children: 1. Reuben; 2. Eliza Ann; Mary wife of Jacob Bruch; 4. Daniel; 5. Lewis, b. 1839(?), d. 28 Jan. 1807; 6. Samuel; 7. William. Anthony Dech mar. 2nd Elizabeth Ziegenfus, nee Laubach, with whom he had: 1. Susanna; 2. Anna.

g. Samuel, b. 1 Apr. 1808, bap. 10 July 1808: Witnesses: Abraham and Margaret Vogel; d. 12 June 1827. Buried at Hecktown, Pa.

23. h. Daniel, b. 12 Apr. 1812; d. 12 Apr. 1882.

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[28]John King, as well as his father, purchased lands which were originally a part of the Manor of Fermor which was commonly called the Drylands. The Manor was named after Thomas Penn's wife, Lady Julianna Fermor. It contained approximately twelve thousand acres and was situated in the Forks of the Delaware. Strictly speaking, there were never any manors in Pennsylvania, this name being given to the tenths set off for the Proprietary, and other large surveys made for his use. No attempt was ever made to enforce the customs of Manorial courts, which would hardly have been tolerated by the court of Pennsylvania or the settlers.

i. Edward, b. 20 Feb. 1814; d. 16 Jan. 1836, unmarried. He was a tailor; buried at Hecktown. The record of St. John's Lutheran church, Easton, states "he was sick with consumption fifteen months."

8. CHRISTOPHER KING (Jacob-Abraham) was born about 1768 in Northampton county, Pa. He was a farmer and resided in Lower Nazareth twp. On 17 Sept. 1834 he and George H. Beck were appointed administrators of the estate of Henry Wilhelm, his son-in-law. He married Maria Saylor, b. 23 Sept. 1774, d. 7 May 1848.[29] He died about 1838. They were members of the Lutheran church and are buried at Hecktown, Pa. Their children were:

24. a. Henry, b. 6 Mch. 1794; d. 24 Mch. 1859.
b. Anna Maria, b. 11 Sept. 1796; mar. 1st, Johann Heinrich Wilhelm, a yeoman, 3 Oct. 1819 by Rev. Thomas Pomp. She married 2nd, Christopher Heller of Monroe Co., Pa. They resided in Lower Nazareth twp. Henry Wilhelm was b. 24 Oct. 1799, d. 23 Aug. 1834 and is buried at Hecktown. Had issue: Caroline, Elizabeth and Susanna. The inventory of his estate contains this item: "volunteer's dress and equipment, 75¢."
25. c. Catharine, b. 20 Jan. 1799, d. 19 May 1874; buried at Hecktown. She mar. Daniel, son of Heinrich and Eva (Schneider) George, b. 27 Mch. 1804, d. 22 July 1861.
d. Thomas, b. 16 Dec. 1801; d. prior to 1841.
26. e. Peter, b. 25 May 1807, d. 11 Mch. 1859.

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[29]Peter Saylor, age 31 yrs., came to America in ship Hope, Daniel Reid, Master, from Rotterdam, but last from Cowes 28 Aug. 1733. His son Peter (?), b. 26 Sept. 1721, d. 8 Jan. 1803, is buried in Raubsville, Pa., cemetery. He was a doctor in Williams twp. where he died after an illness of 14 days. He was assessed for 200 acres of land, two horses, and one horned cattle in 1788. During the Revolution he was a Lieutenant Colonel in the Northampton County Militia. His children were: Frederick, b. about 1744; Elizabeth, b. 1750; Anna Maria, b. 1752; Daniel, b. 1754; Veronica, b. 1748; Peter, b. 1770; Jacob; Catharine; and Susanna. Frederick Saylor was a farmer in Bethlehem twp., d. 25 June 1826, age 82 yrs. and buried in Hecktown, Pa. His wife was Dorothy----. Had issue: John Adam, b. 1772; Abraham; Frederick; Isaac; Jacob; Maria, b. 1774 wife of Christopher King; Sarah wife of Geo. Dech; Elizabeth wife of Peter Kocher; Catharine wife of Henry Buss; Margaret wife of Peter Hess; and Peter.

f. Sophia, b. d. mar. Charles, son of John and Catharine (Brader) Hackman, 8 Apr. 1832 by Rev. Thomas Pomp.

g. Susanna, b. 28 Sept. 1809, d. 18 Feb. 1872 of dropsy and palsy; mar. Joseph Holden; buried at Hecktown, Pa.

27. h. Christopher, b. 17 Mch. 1813, d. 14 Jan. 1883.

i. Elizabeth, b. about 1818, d. 1870; mar. John Jacoby[30] 4 Apr. 1841. They resided in Williams twp. and are buried in the graveyard of St. John's Reformed and Lutheran church at that place. Issue: Amandus; Peter S.; Susanna wife of William Frank; Rosa mar. Thos. Yoken; George, d. 1900, mar. Acelia Smull, b. 1851.

9. JOHN GEORGE KING (Jacob-Abraham) was born in Nazareth twp., Northampton County, Pa., 17 Sept. 1770; baptised 21 Oct. 1770; witnesses, George Michael and his wife Maria Margaretha according to record in the Hecktown Lutheran church. He was a farm laborer and was known as George King. He mar. Catharine Hoch about 1794 and resided in Forks twp. She was b. 25 Aug. 1772, d. 5 May 1857. The records of the Register of Wills indicate that he died about 1815. Both he and his wife are buried at Kreidersville, Pa. Christopher King and John Hoch were administrators of his estate. Issue:

a. Child, b. d.

28. b. George, b. 5 Feb. 1806, d. 17 Oct. 1852.

10. JOHN JONATHAN KING (Matheus-Abraham) was born in Northampton Co., Pa. 31 Oct. 1757; baptised according to Tohicken church records 27 Nov. 1757. On 10 June 1778 he took the oath of allegiance before Thomas Hartman. (Prothonotary's Office records, Easton, Pa.) In his early life he was a soldier in the Revolutionary War. Before he was 23 years of age we find he was a Lieutenant in Capt. John Santee's Company of Northampton County Militia (P. A. s. 5, v. 8, p. 125, 150, 197) and as an officer in the company he issued the following certificate, "This is to certify that Jacob Mouser of Capt. Nolf's

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[30]Jacob Jacoby mar. Margaret, widow of Mr. Eckert. They had a son George Jacoby who married Christianna Ziegenfus and resided in Williams twp. Geo. and Christianna Jacoby had a son John Jacob, b. 23 Apr. 1815, d. 30 Mch. 1886 who was the father of John Jacoby husband of Elizabeth King.

Company of Militia has served a half month in the militia in his dour for guarding prisoners from Easton to Reading in Dec. 1782. Jevin under my hand this 15th day of July, 1781. Jonathan King, Lieut." (P. A. s. 5, v. 8, p. 147.) The spelling is like the original but the date "Dec. 1782" should be Dec. 1780. He is also listed as having received depreciation pay (P. A. s. 5, v. 4, p. 330). From July 30, 1784 to Aug. 23, 1784 he served as a private in Capt. Jacob Balliett's Company at Wyoming (P. A. s. 6, v. 3, p. 786) and again in 1785 he enrolled in the Northampton Co. Militia in Capt. John Santee's Company (P. A. s. 6, v. 3, p. 831).

In the census of 1790 his name appears as a resident of Northampton Co., the family consisting of one male over 16 years of age, two males under 16 yrs. and two females and on Dec. 22 of that year he was one of the administrators of the estate of Wm. Hooker. On 1 Apr. 1792 Jonathan King and his wife Christina were witnesses at the baptism of his namesake in the same county. In the Pa. Arch. 6 ser., v. 5, p. 424 Jonathan Konig is named as captain in the 3rd Regt., 1st Bat., Company 4 of Northampton Co. Militia, John Mulhallon Lt. Col. and Isaac Hartsell 2nd Major. On the same page under the title "Rank of Ensigns and their names" appears George A. Konig, 4th company and Matthias Konig, 6th company and on page 429 under date of June 9, 1794, John Craig, Brigade Inspector certifies that John Hartsell has been elected and returned Captain of the 4th company in place of Jonathan Konig removed.

It was about this time or probably in the fall of 1793 that Jonathan Konig and George A. Konig emigrated to Westmoreland county and located in Mt. Pleasant township. After an indefinite sojourn there he removed with his family to Brady's Bend twp., Armstrong Co., Pa., and was one of the original settlers in that territory where, in 1804, he was assessed with 200 acres, 1 horse and 3 cattle at $148 and with the same acreage and an additional horse the next year at $158. He was residing on this tract when he was commissioned the second sheriff of Armstrong county by Thos. McKean, Governor of Pennsylvania, Nov. 12, 1808, and took the oath of office Dec. 1, 1808, before Paul Morrow, Prothonotary. After the close of his term, on being asked if he had made or saved any money from the income of his office, he replied that he had not, but that he had had "a good living" during his term.

Armstrong county was established by Act of Assembly in 1800 and organized for Judicial purposes in 1805. Previous to Mr. King's commission as sheriff, he was appointed county

commissioner by Gov. McKean and as such there was conveyed in 1807 by James Sloan and James Mathews, Trustees for Armstrong county, appointed under Act of Assembly creating said county, to Jonathan King, James Jackson and Thomas Johnston, the then County Commissioners, lands held in trust by them for the use of the county, the deed being recorded in Deed Book, Vol. 1, p. 383. There is in possession of the late Hon. James W. King, former Judge of Armstrong County a document as follows:

"This indenture made the 17th day of November, 1826, by and between Charles Campbell of Indiana County, and state of Pennsylvania, of the one part and Jonathan King, Sen., of Armstrong County and state aforesaid of the other part: Witnesseth that the said Charles Campbell has bargained and leased to the said Jonathan King the part of the land he lives on in the said county for and during his natural life and Christena during her natural life and they are to have full possession of said part of the said place free and clear of all incumbrances but paying the taxes as they accrue thereon, and the said Jonathan King does promise to keep the place in tenable repair during his life and at his death and his wife's the said Charles Campbell is to have the full and free possession of that part of the tract of land and the said King is to make proof of his settlement on said land and the said Campbell is to pay the expense of said proof. Given under our hands and seals the day above written."

(Signed) Charles Campbell (seal)
Jonathan King, Sr. (seal)

Being present
Joseph King

This was a part of the tract known as "Campbelltown" in Sugar Creek township, Armstrong Co., and likely on this tract Mr. King lived and died on 16 June 1837. His wife was Christiana -----.

Record has been found of the following children:

29. a. John George, b. 28 June 1782, d. 1812.
    b. Anna Elizabeth, b. 12 July 1783, bap. 5 Aug. 1783; witnesses: Daniel Kreidler and wife Anna Elizabeth, same being recorded in the church records at Hecktown, Pa.
30. c. Philip, b. 1784, d. 17 Aug. 1842.
    d. Jacob.
31. e. Joseph, b. 20 Apr. 1794, d. 13 Apr. 1851.

11. GEORGE ADAM KING (Matheus-Abraham) was born in Nazareth township, Northampton Co., Pa. 11 Feb. 1765, bap. 17 Feb. 1765; witnesses: Jacob and Magdalena Gross. He married

Maria Catharine George, daughter of Conrad and Susan George, born in Nazareth twp., 25 Oct. 1768. About 1793 he moved with his family to Westmoreland County and settled in Mt. Pleasant twp. and later to Armstrong County, Pa., where he purchased a farm as early as 1812. This farm contained 118 acres and later he became owner of 139 acres of land in Pine township.[31]

He was one of the pioneers in Armstrong County which was organized in 1800. He was the first constable of Kittaning twp. of said county, serving during the years 1807, 1808 and 1809 and was also frequently called as a juror. In 1806, with 11 other men and their wives, George Adam King and wife organized St. Michael's Lutheran church, then in Kittaning twp., now Burrell, still a vigorous congregation. In 1922 a monument was erected at this church as a memorial to Matheus King and wife and son George Adam King. His wife Maria Catharine King, died about 1830. He married a second time about 1832, Margaret Devers,[32]

[31]Hon. James W. King, former Judge of Armstrong County, wrote the author that in his opinion "there is no doubt that George Adam King on first coming into Armstrong County settled or lived awhile in Kiskiminitas township (it was then old Allegheny twp.). About the same time that he came, or perhaps sooner, his sister Regina, intermarried with Isaac Townsend, settled in said township. So did his sisters, Christina intermarried with Jacob Wolf, and Magdalena intermarried with Nicholas Weitzell, settled in the same township. Isaac Townsend remained there, Jacob Wolf moved later to the northern part of Armstrong County and settled in what is now Washington twp. or Bethel twp. Descendants of his lived and still live in each of said townships. Of Weitzell, I have no record of where he died, nor as to his wife. George Adam King came and settled in the twp., now Burrell, then Kittanning, near the present Brick Church P.O."

[32]Margaret Davers was the widow of George Shoemaker, a substantial farmer, who seated the tract called "Monmouth." In his last will and testament he devised said land containing some 250 acres to his widow. She afterward married Barnard Davers, of South Bend twp., who died shortly afterward. Her third husband was George Adam King. Before her marriage to Davers and to King an ante nuptial contract was entered into, signed and acknowledged by both parties and then recorded in Armstrong county in deed book vol. 7, page 460. The purpose of this instrument was principally to preserve the estates of each from change in title by reason of said marriage. In both instances husband and wife lived separately, each on his or her own farm and there was no interference in ownership or management by the respective owners during the week, and on Saturday the husband would go to his wife's residence and stay over Sunday with her. She required each of her husbands to pay, as they cheerfully did, an annual stipend in flour for his boarding and horse keep. She survived Mr. King but did not marry again. She is buried on the Shoemaker farm.

of German parentage. He died 9 Apr. 1843, and is buried in the old graveyard on the Bush farm, in what is now Burrell twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. A well preserved gravestone with the following neatly carved inscription was found on the Bush farm in 1916 on the grave of Geo. Adam King: "1843, D. Aprile 9, G. A. King." He had children with the first wife only.

a. Abraham, b. 9 Nov. 1785, bap. 11 Dec. 1785, in Nazareth twp., Northampton Co., Pa. The sponsors at his baptism were his maternal grandparents, Conrad and Susan George.

32. b. Isaac, b. 21 Oct. 1786, d. 20 May 1872.

33. c. John Jacob, b. 9 May 1788, d. 20 May 1872.

34. d. Johannes, b. 27 Mch. 1790, d. 1848.

e. Christianna, b. 10 Sept. 1792, bap. 23 Sept. This is presumed to be the first child born to them in western Pennsylvania.

35. f. Henry, b. 21 Aug. 1794, d. 1843.

36. g. Thomas, b. 1796, d. 24 Mch. 1841

37. h. Solomon, b. 10 July 1798, d. 7 Dec. 1876.

i. Susanna, b. about 1800; mar. 1st Alexander Shrecongast; resided in Valley twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. He d. about 1847. Had issue: Susanna, Alexander, Isaac, Levi, Leah, Rosanna, Sarah Ann, Isabella, Nancy Anne, Julia Anne, Mary Ellen. She mar. 2nd, Thomas Lucas.

12. JOHANNES KING (Matheus-Abraham) was born in Nazareth twp., Northampton Co., Pa., 26 Jan. 1770, bap. 25 Mch. 1770; witnesses: Johannes and Catharine Schweitzer. Recorded in Hecktown church records. His wife was Catharine -----. The census of 1790 states that he was a resident of Northampton Co. and that the family consisted of one male over 16 years, one male under 16 and one female. About 1794 he migrated with his family to Westmoreland Co., Pa. and located in that part of Hempfield twp. which later became Mt. Pleasant township. There he purchased a farm on the waters of the big Sewickly creek containing 100 acres. On 10 Oct. 1838 he sold a part of this farm, 72 acres 15 perches, to Joshua Evans for $1400, deed being recorded in Westmoreland Co., deed book 27, p. 443. This tract was conveyed 6 July 1844 to Daniel Kuhns. This was the original homestead of his father, Matheus King. Johannes King was the executor of his father's estate. He d. Mch. 1846. Issue:

38. a. Mathias, b. 13 Jan. 1789; d. prior to 1846.

b. Johann George, b. in Northampton Co., Pa. 19 Oct. 1790; bap. 30 Oct. 1790; witnesses: George and Susanna Dörrhamer.

c. Jonathan, b. in Northampton Co., 23 Feb. 1792, bap. 1 Apr. 1792; witnesses: Jonathan and Christiana King. Resided in Ohio.

d. Susanna, b. in Northampton Co. 3 Nov. 1793, bap. 12 Dec. 1793; witnesses: Geo. and Susanna Dörrhamer. She mar. John Wagoner and res. in Westmoreland Co., Pa.

e. Christiana, b. d. prior to 1846; mar. Mathias Peters. Had 13 children; Catharine wife of Michael Lenhart, Johnston, Leonard, Mary Ann, Philip, Susanna, Daniel, Lydia, Sarah Jane, Sebastian and Precilla.

f. Isabella, mar. Jonathan King and moved to Armstrong Co., Pa.

39. g. John, b. d. prior to 1846.

40. h. Solomon.

41. i. Joseph, b. 11 Nov. 1808 in Hempfield twp., Westmoreland Co., Pa.

j. Catharine, mar. Elijah Williams. They had children: Susan, Amelia and John. She d. prior to 1846. Res. Ohio.

13. GEORGE DAVID KING (Matheus-Abraham) was b. in Northampton Co., Pa. 14 Jan. 1776; bap. 21 Jan. 1776; witnesses: Geo. and Susanna Dörrhamer, recorded in the Hecktown, Pa. church records. He moved with his parents to Westmoreland Co., Pa., about the year 1794 where he was known as "David" King. On 14 Dec. 1829 he gave a release to his brother, John King of Hempfield twp., Westmoreland Co., Pa., for his portion of his father's estate. In this release David King is named as of Indiana Co., Pa. He married Margaret Ringle.[33]

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[33]Mathias Ringle was born 1742 and died 1852. He married 1783 Julian Pohr, b. 1769, d. 31 Jan. 1840. He is buried in St. James cemetery, Westmoreland Co., Pa. His children were: Margaret (known as Peggy), b. 1784 wife of Geo. David King; Eva married Mr. Yockey; John; Abraham; Elizabeth mar. Mr. Cyfert; Stofel; Daniel; Johan; and five other children. Mathias Ringle was an ensign during the Revolutionary War in the 3rd Company, 1st Battalion of Northampton County Militia, Capt. Geo. Groff, Colonel, Geo. Hubner commanding, 1777. (Pa. Arch. ser. 5, v. 8, pp. 28, 29, 83, 93.)

David King and family spent the early part of their married life in Livermore, Pa. He was a boatman on the canal. They lived at the "Headquarters," later moving to Saltsburg where he was a lock-keeper, living at the lock house.

There his wife died very suddenly about 1838-1839. David King died at the home of his son David about 1852 and was buried in the old graveyard at Saltsburg. There are no tombstones for him and his wife. Issue:

a. Margaret, mar. John Michaels. Anna Catharine Wagely, b. 26 July 1820, d. 29 Dec. 1908, was their oldest child. The Armstrong Co. court house Will Book, v. 2, p. 590, states that she gives her mother's spinning wheel to James Murphy. She also remembers her sister Margaret Gosser and brothers King David Michaels and Joseph Michaels.

42. b. David, b. 1808.

c. Susan, mar. Samuel Ferguson; res. Livermore, Pa.

d. John Henry, b. 1809.

e. Sarah, mar. Mr. Mansfield of Ohio.

f. Betty, mar. John McGuire.

g. Mary Magdalena, b. 23 July 1816, d. 21 Jan. 1908 at Garrett's Run, Pa.; mar. 14 Mch. 1834 Joseph Snyder, b. 16 July 1816, d. 24 Mch. 1892. She was a member of the Lutheran church. He had two sisters who married men by the name of King. In 1842 Joseph Snyder and wife with their four children and his father-in-law, David King moved to Bethel twp. and opened a cooper shop making salt barrels. In 1848 the family moved to Logansport, Pa.

h. Rachel, b. 1818, mar. Archibald McHenry, 11 Feb. 1834. She d. 1894 and is buried in St. James cemetery near Saltsburg. Issue: Annia Marie, b. 1838; Nancy, b. 1840; Theodore; Lucy; Albert; Elizabeth; and Archibald III.

14. HENRY KING (Matheus-Abraham). He is mentioned in his father's will as a son. In 1794 he and his wife were sponsors at the baptism of his nephew Henrich, son of Geo. Adam King, when he was known as Heinrich. His wife was Maria -----. He died prior to 1844 in Columbia Co., Ohio. A release dated 8 Apr. 1844, at Columbia Co. was signed by Samuel King and Mary Ann his wife, Elizabeth King wife of John Sanor, David King and

Catharine his wife, William King and Catharine his wife, Henry King and Rachel his wife, Chrissy King wife of Abner Sletuz, all the heirs and legal representatives of Henry King, late of the state of Ohio, deceased, who was one of the sons and heirs of Matheus King, late of Westmoreland county, Pa. deceased. This release is recorded in Deed Book 27, p. 443, Westmoreland Co., Pa. Issue:

a. David mar. Catharine -----.
b. William mar. Catharine -----.
c. Henry mar. Rachel -----.
d. Samuel mar. Mary Ann -----.
e. Elizabeth mar. John Sanor -----.
f. Chrissy mar. Abner Sleutz.

15. SIMON KING (Matthias-Jacob-Abraham) was born in Bethlehem twp., Northampton Co., Pa. 27 Oct. 1798 and bap. 14 Dec. 1798 by Rev. Thomas Pomp as recorded in the Hecktown church records. He married Sarah Stopp Oct. 1820, record appearing in the St. John's Lutheran church, Easton, Pa. He took up farming but apparently was not very successful inasmuch as, according to an advertisement in the Easton Centinel of 1 Apr. 1825, "Simon Koenig, yeoman of Bethlehem twp., applied for the benefit of the Acts of Assembly made for relief of insolvent debtors." He died 30 Mch. 1834, and was buried in the Moravian cemetery, Bethlehem, Pa. The will of Christian Brown, a brother-in-law, probated 16 May 1843, states that he had a daughter named:

a. Louisa or Louisanna, b. 1820-1834.

16. JACOB KING (Jacob-Jacob-Abraham) was born in Northampton County, Pa. 11 Mch. 1793. After his marriage to Sarah Jansen[34] he engaged in farming. His farm comprised the greater

[34]George Wilhelm Jansen came to America 25 Nov. 1763 in ship Pellas, Richard Milner, Master, from Rotterdam but last from Portsmouth. He was a son of Michael and Maria Magdalena Jansen who resided in Neuhausen, Germany. Jorg Wilhelm Jansen settled in Northampton County, Pa. where he married Anna M. B. Seabold in 1763. He was born 21 Mch. 1731, d. 1804. They had issue: 1. William, b. 1769; 2. Michael, b. 11 Oct. 1770, d. 1847; 3. Johannes, b. 2 Oct. 1772, mar. Elizabeth Reiser; 4. Magdalena, mar. 1st, George Lauerbach, 2nd, Henry Pfaff; 5. Jacob, b. 24 July 1776, mar. Catharine Ehret, and d. 1857; 6. Margaret; 7. J. Martin, b. 20 Apr. 1779, d. 1845, mar. Maria Margaret Knecht. The 1st son, William, b. 1769, had a dau. Sarah, b. 1801 who mar. Jacob King, b. 1793.

part of the original homestead of his grandfather, Jacob King. His wife was born 1 June 1801 and d. 11 Apr. 1881; bur. at Hecktown. He d. of pneumonia and apoplexy 15 Nov. 1868. His son-in-law, Charles Paulus and son Chas. King were the administrators of his estate. The children of Jacob and Sarah King were:

43. a. Charles, b. 27 June 1824, d. 27 Oct. 1861.
b. Maria, b. 26 July 1826, bap. 8 Oct. 1826, witnesses: William Jansen and Maria. She d. 24 Sept. 1827, buried at Hecktown by Rev. Thos. Pomp. She was unmarried.
c. Catharine, b. 4 July 1828, bap. 10 Aug. 1828; witnesses: John and Magdalena Clause. She mar. Chas. Paulus, a farmer. She died previous to her mother. They resided near Belvidere, N. J. and had three daughters—Emma, Ellen C. wife of David Loudenberg, and Isabelle.

17. DAVID KING (Jacob-Jacob-Abraham) was born in Forks twp., Northampton Co., Pa. 12 Apr. 1808, and bap. 10 June 1808 by Rev. Thos. Pomp. On 10 June 1827 he married Maris Schnabel whose parents, Jacob and Elizabeth Schnabel, owned a neighboring farm. Maria Schnabel was born 31 May 1808 and died 9 Dec. 1871 of typhoid fever. In 1831 David King purchased the greater part of the original King homestead in Bethlehem twp. (now Forks twp.) and followed the occupation of farmer until his death 26 Jan. 1878 resulting from internal injuries caused by the kick of a horse. Both he and his wife are buried at Farmersville, Pa. Had issue:

a. Anna Matilda, b. Nov. 1827, bap. 30 Dec. 1827; witnesses: Jacob and Elizabeth Schnabel; mar. William Reimer and resided in Bucks Co., Pa. Issue: Aaron and Irwin.
b. Sabina, b. 22 Dec. 1828, bap. 17 Apr. 1829; witnesses: William and Elizabeth Transue; mar. Chas. Daubert 5 Sept. 1858; res. Easton, Pa. Issue: James, Chas., David A.
c. Mary, b. 14 June 1830, bap. 3 Oct. 1830; witnesses: John and Elizabeth Henshu; mar. Barnet Unangst. Res. Easton, Pa. Issue: Thomas, b. 18 Oct. 1855, d. 12 Mch. 1881; Fannie wife of Mr. Klinde.
d. Susanna, b. 28 Dec. 1832, bap. 8 Apr. 1833; witnesses: David Wagner and Sarah Konig; d. 16 Feb. 1912;

mar. by Rev. Brendel to William Bowers, a farmer, 17 June 1858. He was b. 17 Aug. 1826, d. 20 Sept. 1897. Both buried at Easton, Pa. Issue: Mary wife of Henry Walter and Amanda.

e. Marietta, b. 10 Sept. 1834, d. 31 Jan. 1885; mar. 24 Aug. 1856 to Adam Laudenberger, b. 4 Aug. 1833; d. 17 Aug. 1900. Issue: Mary d. Nov. 1912, wife of James Hay of Sheffield, Iowa.

f. Lucetta, b. 18 May, 1836, d. 10 Sept. 1904, mar. Geo. I. Baumgart; res. Easton, Pa. Issue: Sarah wife of Wm. Durns.

g. Louisa, b. 24 Nov. 1838, d. 23 Dec. 1912; mar. Tilghman Hay 4 May 1862. Both buried at Farmersville. No issue.

44. h. James W. b. 10 May 1840; d. 4 Sept. 1888.

i. Aaron, b. 18 Dec. 1841 in Forks twp., Northampton Co., Pa., d. 27 Feb. 1920 of apoplexy. Buried in Farmersville cemetery.

j. Henrietta, b. 30 Mch. 1845, d. 10 Jan. 1913. She was confirmed in the Reformed church 1 Dec. 1861 and mar. Wm. Edelman 18 June 1866. He was b. 15 May 1840; bur. at Bath, Pa. She was bur. at Farmersville, Pa. Issue: Mary Amanda, b. 3 Dec. 1867, mar. Wm. Brotzman; Lillie, b. 16 May 1869, mar. 16 July 1887 Wm. A. Hay, b. 1887.

18. DANIEL KING (Adam-Jacob-Abraham) born 25 Nov. 1799 in Forks twp., Northampton Co., Pa. On 4 Apr. 1839 he was mar. by Rev. Yeager to Henrietta Reiss. He engaged in farming in Williams twp. where he d. 25 Feb. 1880. His wife was b. 1 May 1817 and d. 26 Aug. 1883. Both buried at Durham, Pa. Issue:

45. a. David, b. 26 Oct. 1839, d. 19 May 1891.

b. Mary Ann, b. 13 June 1842; mar. Geo. Nicholas, son of Geo. and Mary (Deemer) Nicholas. They resided in Williams twp. Issue: Emma wife of Harvey Muschlitz and Stephen.

c. Catharine, b. 18 June 1849, d. 23 Apr. 1914; mar. 6 Aug. 1881 Jackson T., son of Wm. and Susanna (Klotz) Billiard. He was born in Lower Saucon twp. 18 Nov., --, d. 22 Apr. 1909. Had issue: Mrs. Henry W. Cawley, b. 1884; Geo. M., b. 1885,

d. 1909; Annie C., b. 1887. They were members of the Lutheran church and resided in Springtown, Pa.

46. d. Daniel, b. 1 Feb. 1854, d. 17 Dec. 1915.

19. JOHN KING (Adam-Jacob-Abraham) was b. 8 Aug. 1802 in Forks twp., Northampton Co., Pa. In 1829 he purchased a small parcel of ground in Lower Nazareth twp. from John and William Penn and engaged in farming but later started a general store which he conducted for many years at Farmersville. He was a member of the Lutheran church. His first wife was Sarah Paulus and his second wife was Rosanna Mill, b. 20 Oct. 1810, d. 28 Dec. 1872. He died 11 Jan. 1876 of inflammation of the bowels. Letters of administration were granted to his sons Geo. H. King and Samuel F. King 19 Feb. 1876. Both he and his wives were buried at Farmersville, Pa. Had issue:

First marriage

a. George H., b. 10 Feb. 1831 at Farmersville and died 24 Oct. 1903 at Easton. He was a clerk in a store for 50 yrs. On 13 Mch. 1859 he mar. Mary Baumgard of Palmer twp. She d. 4 May 1859 age 23 y. 11 mo. 3 days; bur. at Arndts. His second wife was Elizabeth Fox of Bucks Co., Pa. She d. 15 Aug. 1900 and is buried with her husband at Easton. No issue.

b. Sarah Ann, b. 1 May 1833, d. 15 Oct. 1859; mar. Mathias, son of John and Sarah Buss. She is bur. at Farmersville. They had a daughter Elnora, b. 21 Sept. 1856, wife of John W. Fox.

Second marriage

47. c. Samuel F., b. 20 Sept. 1844; d. 6 Jan. 1916.

20. SAMUEL KING (Adam-Jacob-Abraham) was b. 30 Nov. 1812 in Forks twp., Northampton Co., Pa. After receiving a common school education he went to Easton and learned the saddlery and harness-maker's trade. He was a member of the Delaware Greys in 1843 and of the Beneficial Society of Easton. In 1845 he married Catharine Sophia Unangst, daughter of Philip Unangst. He was a life long Democrat and a member of the Lutheran church. He d. in 1874 and his widow d. at the age of 89 years. Both buried at Easton. Issue:

48. a. John H., b. 1846.

b. Valentine (twin) b. 1846, d. 5 Feb. 1868 of typhoid fever.

c. Kate S., b. 1848; teacher in Easton Public School until her marriage 5 July 1877 to John B. Kolb of Lansford, Carbon Co., Pa.; d. 1880; bur. at Easton; member Presbyterian church.

21. DAVID KING (Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born 21 Dec. 1797, died 4 Mch. 1858. He was a farmer and resided in Allen twp., Northampton Co., Pa. He was found dead and was supposed to have died on account of being frozen. He was married to Maria Schortz[35] by Rev. Thos. Pomp. His wife was born 15 Oct. 1798, died 8 Dec. 1876. Both she and her husband are buried at Bath, Pa. They had children:

a. Anna Netta, b. 31 Mch. 1822; d. 16 Feb. 1866; mar. Jacob Miller, b. 22 Mch. 1818, d. 2 Aug. 1899. Both bur. at Schoenersville, Pa. They had a son Samuel, b. 21 Mch. 1851, d. 28 Oct. 1897.

b. George, b. 17 Nov. 1826. He was a farmer and resided in Allen twp. He died of gangrene 14 Dec. 1911. Unmarried.

49. c. Enoch, b. 20 Apr. 1832, d. 20 Nov. 1904.

50. d. Josiah, b. about 1834, d. 10 Sept. 1909.

e. Susannah, b. d. mar. Isaac Dewalt, b. 23 May 1822, d. 13 July, 1868. He was a farmer and resided in Butztown, Pa. Both he and his wife are buried at Farmersville. Issue: Asher; Josiah; Mary A., b. 1851, d. 1854; Samuel, b. 1853, d. 1853.

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[35]George Michael Schortz came to America 28 Sept. 1749, in ship Ann, John Spurrier, Master, from Rotterdam, last from Cowes, England. He was b. probably about 1727-8 and d. in Bethlehem twp., Sept. 1791. His will dated 31 July was probated 27 Sept. 1791. He mar. about 1754 Margaret, dau. of Frederick and Maria Barbara Scholl, of Lower Saucon twp., b. in Franconia twp., Philadelphia Co., Pa., 1732. d. in Bethlehem twp. Aug. 1822, age 90 years. Issue: 1. Frederick, b. 9 Feb. 1755; 2. Anna Maria, b. 5 Apr. 1757, mar. Theobald Gradwohl; 3. Tobias, b. 8 Dec. 1757; 4. Michael, b. 8 Sept. 1858, mar. Mary Hower; 5. John; 6. Abraham, b. 1761. The first child, Frederick Schortz, b. 1755, d. in L. Nazareth twp. 24 Apr. 1835. He was a farmer and had land as early as 1785. Then he received about 140 acres from his father in 1790. On 19 Mch. 1834, shortly before his death, he and his wife Gertrude conveyed to their sons Daniel and George, about 94 acres in Allen twp. in trust for their daughter Mary Koenig. Frederick Schortz mar. Gertrude Gradwohl 12 Dec. 1780. She was b. 4 Oct. 1758, d. 14 Aug. 1841; both buried at Hecktown. Issue: Geo., b. 1782; Mary mar. David King; Abraham, b. 1786; Frederick b. 1788; Daniel, b. 1801.

f. Hannah, mar. Reuben Fogelman, son of Geo. Fogelman. They lived at Hecktown and are buried at Bath.

22. THOMAS KING (Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born in Lower Nazareth twp., Northampton Co., Pa., 20 Nov. 1803. When a young man he moved to Hellertown, Pa. where he learned his trade as blacksmith after which he located in "Wassergass," near Hellertown. He was a member of the Northampton County Rifle Company, Capt. Joseph Stever, 15 May 1824. John Vogel and Jesse Vogel were also enrolled in the same company. On account of his patriotic ferver he was frequently referred to as "Liberty Tom." He married Sarah Deemer,[36] b. 29 Mch. 1804, d. 14 Aug. 1870. He died 27 Mch. 1886. Both he and his wife are buried in the Williams twp. cemetery. They had children:

51. a. Aaron, b. 3 Jan. 1830, d. 11 Mch. 1926.
b. Mary, b. 15 Jan. 1832, mar. Peter Bleyler, b. 2 June 1808, d. 3 Jan. 1891. She was his second wife. They resided in Williams twp. where they had a farm. She d. 24 May, 1916. Both buried at Ironville, Northampton Co., Pa. No issue.
52. c. Jacob, b. Feb. 1834, d. 15 Mch. 1910.
53. d. Edward D., b. 13 Jan. 1835, d. 16 Apr. 1922.
54. e. Stephen D., b. 10 Feb. 1836, d. 26 Nov. 1897.

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[36]Johannes Deimer arrived in Pennsylvania in ship Davy, William Patten, Commander, from Rotterdam, but last from Cowes, 25 Oct. 1738, and family tradition asserts that he "settled on a large tract of land in Nockanixon twp., Bucks Co., Pa., on the river just below the Durham line." It is stated that he had sons Michael, George and Joseph.

Michael Deemer was born about 1750 and was one of the signers who petitioned the county court in 1775 to organize Durham as a township. He mar. Elizabeth Trittenbach. His will, dated 11 Aug. 1795 was probated 30 Mch. 1787. Had issue: John; Jacob, b. 24 Oct. 1784, d. 16 Aug. 1845; Henry, b. 1771; Barnet; Sarah, b. 1774; Michael, b. 1776; Solomon; George, b. 1779; Margaret, b. 1782; Frederick, b. 1784; Merelles; Catharine; Modeline, b. 1868.

Jacob Deemer (1784-1845) mar. Mary Magdalena Dreisbach, b. 20 Apr. 1772, d. 14 Jan. 1858. Both buried at Durham, Pa. They had issue: Sarah wife of Thomas King; Isaac, b. 14 May 1808; Jacob, b. 4 May 1806, d. 27 Apr. 1870; Elizabeth wife of Henry Hoover; Kate; Polly; Mary, b. 10 Mch. 1812, d. 13 Aug. 1900, mar. Geo. Nicholas, b. 8 Mch. 1808, d. 19 Apr. 1893; Esther, b. 26 June 1815, d. 31 Mch. 1902, mar. Aug. 1841 Geo. Applegate, b. 20 Feb. 1818, d. 22 Nov. 1909.

f. Sarah Ann, b. 28 Oct. 1838, d. 18 May 1854, bur. in L. Saucon cemetery.

55. g. Thomas D., b. 23 Apr. 1841, d. 22 Aug. 1908.

56. h. Isaac Lewis, b. 7 Apr. 1844, d. 29 Oct. 1928.

i. Esther, b. 27 June 1846, mar. 17 Nov. 1866 to Addison Koch of Upper Saucon twp., Lehigh Co., Pa., b. 10 Jan. 1842, d. 20 Mch. 1903, res. Center Valley, Pa. She d. 24 Mch. 1919; buried in Friedensville cemetery. Issue: Preston T.b. 1867, d. 1919; Cora A., b. 1869, mar. John Titlow; Mary I., b. 1871, mar. Morris Hipenstiel, b. 1869; Wm. J., b. 1872, d. 1896; Carrie S., b. 1874, mar. Harvey Hedrick; Robert C., b. 1878; Addison E., b. 1881.

j. Lena, b. 9 Oct. 1847, mar. 7 Feb. 1873, Frank Bauder, son of David and Rosina (Woodring) Bauder, d. 25 Mch. 1893. They res. in Lower Saucon twp. She d. 7 Feb. 1915. Issue: Clara, b. 1878; Alavesta; Lillie; Amanda, b. 1874, d. 1924.

23. DANIEL KING (Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born 12 April 1812, died 12 Apr. 1882. He was a carpenter by trade. He was married to Eliza Ann King,[37] by Rev. Joshua Yeager, 1834-5 and resided in Northampton Co., Pa. but later moved to Allentown, Pa. She was b. 10 Mch. 1813 and d. 10 Mch. 1888. They both died on their birthday[38] and are buried in Fairview cemetery, Allentown. They had issue:

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[37]Frederick King, b. in Haycock twp., Bucks Co., Pa., 8 Feb. 1764, was sheriff of Northampton County, Pa. 1809-1812. His children were: 1. Maria Martelene b. 1788; 2. John, b. 1790; 3. Catharine, b. 1791; 4. Anna Barbara, b. 1793; 5. Joseph, b. 1796. The second child, John, b. 1790 mar. Hannah Jones, b. 1789, d. 1871 and had a daughter Eliza Ann, b. 1813 who married Daniel King. Frederick King was a private on the muster rolls of the 17th Company Northampton County Riflemen in the War of 1812. No relationship has been found between Frederick King and either Jacob King or Matheus King whose descendants are traced in this genealogy.

[38]Here is a rather strange coincidence—"both died on their birthdays." There are a number of cases in history of such happenings, notably of the following conspicuous men: Shakespeare was born 23 April, 1564, d. 23 Apr. 1616; Raphael Segio d'terbino, the great artist, born on Good Friday, 1483, died on Good Friday, 1520. Good Friday is a movable feast, so the day of the month may not have been the same. Sir Thomas Browne, author of Religio Medici, was born 19 Oct., d. 19 Oct., 1682; Timothy Swan, composer, was born 23 July 1756, died 23 July, 1812; St. John of God, one of the most eminent of Portuguese

a. Lewis Abraham, b. 17 Apr. 1835, d. y. and buried in Dryland cemetery.

b. Sarah Ellen, b. 9 Oct. 1837, d. about 1899 at Independence, Iowa, age 62 years. She was b. in Allentown and confirmed by Rev. Welden in the Lutheran church at Schoenersville in 1855. She mar. Peter Steinberger. They had children: 1. Hannah wife of John F. Wesver of Hellertown and 2. Joseph.

57. c. Josiah E., b. 3 Jan. 1840.

58. d. John H., b. 27 Mch. 1842.

e. Julia Ann, b. 30 Nov. 1844, mar. 6 June 1871 to Nelson Gowling, a grocer, b. 9 Aug. 1840. They resided in Saginaw, Mich. Issue: 1. George Nelson, b. 9 Nov. 1872; 2. Frank Edmond, b. 11 Oct. 1874; 3. Mary Eliza, b. 19 Dec. 1878.

59. f. Reuben, b. 14 Mch. 1847; d. 16 May 1888.

60. g. George D., b. 3 Sept. 1849.

h. William Frederick, b. 27 Mch. 1852; d. 11 July 1856.

61. i. Luther E., b. 12 Oct. 1854; d. 28 May 1923.

24. HENRY KING (Christopher-Jacob-Abraham) born 6 Mch. 1794 in Lower Nazareth twp., Northampton Co., Pa. He mar. Anna, daughter of Jacob and Anna Beitelman of Allentown, Pa., b. 13 Sept. 1795, d. 25 June 1880 of apoplexy. She was known as "Nancy." Mr. King was a carpenter by trade, a member of the Lutheran church and a Democrat. He died 24 Mch. 1859 of apoplexy. He and wife were buried at Hecktown, Pa. Had issue:

62. a. Reuben, b. 7 Mch. 1821; d. 9 July 1844.

b. Carolina, b. 15 Jan. 1823; mar. Simon Santee 23 Oct. 1842, a son of Joseph and Anna (Ritter) Santee and a descendant of Elias Santee, a captain of Militia of Northampton County during the Revolution. Simon Santee was b. 5 Nov. 1820, d. 20 Apr. 1873. They had a son Joseph, b. 4 May 1844, d. 7 Feb. 1913. Carolina Santee, widow of Simon Santee, mar. Reuben Schortz, a widower, b. 21 Apr. 1816, d. 11 Apr. 1876, bur. at Schoenersville. She d. 6 Aug. 1897; bur. at Hecktown.

Saints was born 6 Mch., 1495, died 6 Mch. 1550; John Sobieski, King of Poland who delivered Vienna from the Turks, was born 17 June, 1629 and died 17 June, 1690. But when two of the same family, after having reached and passed their three score and ten, die on their birthdays, it is worthy of note.

63. c. Henry, b. 2 Dec. 1826; d. 5 Jan. 1901.
d. Matilda Rebecca, b. 19 Oct. 1835, d. 17 Oct. 1837; bur. at Hecktown.
e. Maria Susanna, b. 22 Feb. 1838, bap. 28 May 1838; witnesses: Abraham and Eva Seiler, same being recorded in St. John's Lutheran church, Easton. She d. 1 Aug. 1894; buried at Hecktown. Unmarried. She was known as Mary.

25. THOMAS KING (Christopher-Jacob-Abraham) was born 16 Dec. 1801, baptised 28 Mch. 1802; witnesses: T. Thurnblaser as recorded in the Hecktown church records. He married 6 Apr. 1828 Lea George (b. 12 Nov. 1808, d. 2 Oct. 1846), a daughter of Henry George[39] of Upper Nazareth twp., Northampton Co., Pa. He was a farmer. He died prior to 1841 and is buried at Hecktown. His widow married Jacob Reese, a farmer with whom she had two sons, Harvey and Samuel. The children of Thomas King and wife Lea were:

a. Levina, b. 26 Aug. 1828; d. 21 Sept. 1828; bur. at Hecktown, Pa.
b. Anna Maria, b. 6 Mch. 1831; d. 9 Oct. 1911; bur. at Bath, Pa. She mar. Mathew Snyder who died of small pox and is buried in the old cemetery at Bath. His grave is marked with a soldier's

[39]Johan Conrad George arrived in Philadelphia, Pa. in ship Bannister, Captain John Doyle, from Amsterdam, but last from Cowes, 21 Oct. 1754. On this ship came 84 natives from Wirtenberg, Westphalia and the Palatinate. He was only sixteen years of age when he came to America and finally located in the "Drylands," Northampton County, where he married 22 Feb. 1763 the widow, Susanna Beyer, nee Knauer, born 29 Sept. 1741, died 4 Feb. 1804. He was born Apr. 1738, died 13 Aug. 1798. From the Penns he purchased 100 acres of land and raised a family of four sons and four daughters. They were: 1. Maria Margaretha, b. 22 Oct. 1764, d. 11 Feb. 1795, mar. Adam Stenger; 2. Henrich; 3. Maria Catharine mar. George Adam Koenig, b. 11 Feb. 1765; 4. Susanna mar. Christopher Hummel; 5. John Conrad, b. 30 Jan. 1773, d. 12 Nov. 1831; 6. John George, b. 15 Oct. 1781, d. 2 Oct. 1798; 7. Christina mar. James Kinnard; 8. son, d.y.; John Conrad George, the elder, was a private in Captain Frederick Coon's (Kuntz) Company during the Revolutionary War his name appearing on muster rolls of 2 May 1781 and 5 Feb. 1783. (Pa. Arch., s. 5, v. 8.) The fifth child Henrich mar. Eva Schneider. Issue: John Jacob, b. 1794; Elizabeth, b. 1795; Maria, b. 1797; John, b. 1798; Daniel and Joseph, b. 1804 (twins); Henrich and Catharine, b. 1806 (twins); Lea, b. 1808 wife of Thomas King, b. 1828; and Aaron, b. 1810.

tombstone. They had issue: 1. James; 2. daughter; 3. Oliver; 4. Thomas mar. Alice Young; he was b. 16 Sept. 1849, d. 14 Feb. 1925; 5. Mayhew; 6. Arvesta; 7. Emma, b. 24 Dec. 1864, d. 23 Nov. 1914; 8. James; 9. Milton, res. Catasauqua, Pa.

c. Maria, b. 28 Dec. 1833, bap. 2 Mch. 1834; witnesses: Abraham and Maria Dewalt. She mar. William Avel (Abel), son of David and Catharine Avel, nee Reiser, 11 Nov. 1855. He was b. 24 May 1833, d. 4 Oct. 1895. She d. 21 Feb. 1905. Both bur. at Farmersville, Pa. She was also known as Polly. They had 5 children.

26. PETER KING (Christopher-Jacob-Abraham) born 25 May 1807, bap. 12 July 1807; witnesses: Peter and Elizabeth Kocher; died 11 Mch. 1859 of palsy and consumption. In Kieffer's "Forks settlers" we learn that he married Maria Hellick[40] 19 Nov. 1837. She was b. 31 Aug. 1818 and d. 23 Sept. 1909. They resided in Lower Nazareth twp. Peter King was a private in Co. H., 1st Penna. Volunteers recruited at Easton and mustered in 21 Apr. 1861. Both he and wife are buried at Hecktown. Issue:

a. Rebecca Ann, b. 9 Jan. 1839; confirmed by the Lutheran pastor, Rev. Welden, in 1855; mar. Richard Hackman 22 Jan. 1860, d. 14 Dec. 1935. She was a member of the Moravian church and is buried in the Union cemetery, Bethlehem. Issue: Alice Sarah, d. 19 Nov. 1936, wife of Jeremiah Voght; and Anna.

b. Thomas, b. 3 Aug. 1841, d. 1 Aug. 1843; bur. at Hecktown.

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[40]Philip Helick arrived in Philadelphia in ship Minerva, Thomas Arnot, master, from Rotterdam, but last from Cowes, 17 Dec. 1771. He was born in Hunsruck, Germany, in 1750 and mar. 7 Oct. 1774 to Eva Miller, b. 2 Jan. 1753. He was a Reformed church school master at Easton, Pa. and Dryland. He also served in the Revolutionary War as a private, 3rd class, Easton Company, Capt. Henry Alshouse, 2nd Battalion, Northampton County Militia, it being a part of the Flying Camp of 10,000 men commanded by Col. Hart. (P. Arch. s. 5, v. 8, pp. 89, 120, 138, 149, 155.) He had a son, Jacob Helick, b. 15 Jan. 1782, d. 10 Aug. 1858, who was a Major in the War of 1812. He mar. 28 Feb. 1808, Elizabeth Smith, b. 6 Sept. 1783, d. 7 May 1865. They had ten children: Reuben, b. 1825, d. 24 Jan. 1905, who was the first editor of the Easton Weekly Argus; Maria, b. 1818 wife of Peter King; Stephen, d. 9 Apr.; Caroline, b. about 1813, d. 11 Aug. 1902, wife of Abraham King, b. 19 Feb. 1816, d. 6 Apr. 1871.

64. c. Andrew Cyrus, b. 10 Mch. 1845; d. 20 Nov. 1925.

27. CHRISTOPHER KING (Christopher-Jacob-Abraham) of Bethlehem twp., Northampton Co., Pa., was born 17 Mch. 1813, baptised 6 June 1813; witnesses: Henry and Catharine Buss. He was a farmer. On 18 Mch. 1841 he was married to Olivia Anna, daughter of Tobias Rothrock, by Rev. Thomas Pomp. She was born 11 Sept. 1822, died 21 Apr. 1898 of heart disease. He died 13 Jan. 1883 of apoplexy. Both he and his wife are buried at Farmersville, Pa. Had issue:

65. a. Oliver F., b. 14 Mch. 1842.
b. Cecilia mar. Aaron W. Hackman 18 Dec. 1870. Res. near Easton.
c. Cornelia A., b. 24 July 1851, d. 10 Mch. 1853.

28. GEORGE KING (Johann George-Jacob-Abraham) was born 5 Feb. 1806 in Forks twp., Northampton Co., Pa. He was baptised 23 Mch. 1806 the witnesses being Christol and Maria King. He was a farmer and lived in Upper Mount Bethel twp. On 17 Mch. 1836 he married Maria Engler and died 17 Oct. 1852; buried at Zion Stone church near Kreidersville, Pa. After his death his widow married Jacob Baer, familiarly known as "Squire" Baer, born 22 Oct. 1812, died 12 Jan. 1884. She was born 13 Mch. 1818 and died 13 Oct. 1876 after a lingering illness. Both she and Mr. Baer are buried at St. John's church, Howertown, Pa. Issue:

First marriage

a. Emalia, b. 6 Mch. 1837, d. 6 Aug. 1853; bur. Kreidersville.
b. William Franklin went west about 1858 and lived in South Bend, Indiana, in 1876; born about 1839.
66. c. George Henry, b. 28 Sept. 1841, d. 28 Nov. 1902.
67. d. James Peter, b. 13 Mch. 1844; d. 13 Apr. 1905.

29. JOHN GEORGE KING (Jonathan-Matheus-Abraham) was born 28 Jan. 1782, baptised 30 June, 1782, witnesses: Matthias and Christiana Konig, his grand-parents, as noted in the church records at Hecktown, Pa. He moved to Armstrong Co., Pa. with his father and located in Sugar Creek township where he purchased 250 acres of land. His wife was Sarah Sylvis who survived him. He died 1812 and is buried in the cemetery at St. Paul's Reformed Church in Sugar Creek twp. The stone was erected by his son Jonathan and reads "George King d. 1812." On 4 May 1819 Philip King filed a bond as administrator in the

estate of George King with Jonathan King and John Wiles as surieties in the sum of Ł4000 but the estate was insufficient to pay the debts. On 20 Mch. 1820 he presented a petition to the Orphans Court setting forth that said intestate left issue, seven children (noted below) all of whom were in their minority. The children were:

68. a. Jonathan, b. 5 Jan. 1804, d. 28 Mch. 1896.
    b. Christiana mar. ---- Frankfort.
    c. Elizabeth.
69. d. Henry b. 13 Feb. 1811, d. 1901.
    e. Mary mar. McCulloch.
    f. Phebe mar. Mr. Randall.
    g. Anna mar. Mr. Wells.

30. PHILLIP KING (John Jonathan-Matheus-Abraham) was born in 1784 and died 17 Aug. 1842; buried in St. Paul's Reformed church cemetery, Sugar Creek twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. His wife was Elizabeth. On 4 May 1818 he filed a bond as administrator of his brother George King's estate. Issue:

a. Mary mar. John Yockey.
b. John mar. Magdalena -----.

31. JOSEPH KING (John Jonathan-Matheus-Abraham) was born 20 Apr. 1794 in Brady's Bend, Armstrong Co., Pa. where he resided during his lifetime. His first marriage was to Catharine Beyer who died in 1839, age 45 years and 18 days. His second wife was Mary ----- who died 16 July 1843 in her 43rd year. He died 13 Apr. 1851. He and his wives are buried in St. Paul's Reformed church cemetery, Sugar Creek twp., Armstrong Co. ?ap. He is reported to have been a Justice of the Peace. After his second marriage he moved to the vicinity of Lisbon, Columbianna Co., Ohio. Had issue:

First marriage

70. a. David, b. d. 1874.
71. b. Absalom Beyer, b. 1829, d. 1906.
    c. John, b. 11 Aug. 1838; mar. Miss Fife of Ohio; they resided near Lisbon, Ohio.
    d. Margaret mar. Harrison Miller of So. Bend and had sons: Warren, John, Edward and Harry.
    e. Catharine.

Second marriage

    f. Rachael mar. Fred Ellengerger a farmer of So. Bend twp.
    g. Isaac.

32. ISAAC KING (George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 21 Oct. 1786 in Nazareth twp., Northampton Co., Pa. and baptised 4 Feb. 1787. The sponsors were Mathias and Christiana Konig, his paternal grandparents. (Dryland church records, Hecktown, Pa.) He moved to Westmoreland County with his parents about 1792 and resided for many years in Kittanning township, now Burrell twp., on a farm. On 21 Nov. 1811 he married Sarah Davis. She was born 11 Mch. 1792. His later years were spent at his home in Manorville Boro, Armstrong Co., Pa. He served during the War of 1812 playing the fife for the regulars. He was a Democrat and a member and elder in the Lutheran church. He died 20 May 1872 and is buried at St. Michael's church. His wife died 9 Apr. 1859. Had issue:

72. a. Solomon, b. 22 Sept. 1812.
73. b. Elias, b. 29 July 1814, d. 2 Jan. 1898.
c. Susannah, b. 6 May 1816; d. 4 Apr. 1854; mar. Peter Ruppert, a widower, son of Peter Ruppert, 9 Oct. 1845. He was a carpenter. Had issue: Isaac King, b. 15 June 1846; unmarried.; Jackson, b. 2 Aug. 1847, d. 6 Dec. 1929; Benjamin Franklin, b. 27 May 1849, mar. Martha E. Richardson, 1872; Thomas J., b. 27 July 1843, d. Apr. 1865; Daniel, b. 9 Aug. 1850, d. 28 Jan. 1851.
74. d. Isaac, b. 30 Apr. 1818, d. 28 May, 1888.
75. e. David, b. 12 Aug. 1820, d. 9 Feb. 1877.
76. f. Michael, b. 5 Jan. 1823, d. 4 Dec. 1891.
77. g. Abraham, b. 3 Dec. 1825, d. 15 May 1862.
h. Samuel, b. 30 Mch. 1828, d. about 1844 and buried in Shaffer graveyard near Brick Church, Pa.
78. i. Robert T., b. 27 Nov. 1831, d. 14 May 1924.
j. Sarah Ann, b. 7 Mch. 1834, d. 10 Aug. 1897; mar. Joseph, son of Jos. and Anna (Yount) Stevenson, b. 10 Oct. 1832, d. 1 June 1908. He was teamster and contractor; res. Kittanning. Issue: Daniel E., b. 1852; Robert K., b. 1854; David C., b. 1856; Sarah E., b. 1859; Isaac T., b. 1861; Thomas E., b. 1864; Jesse B., b. 1867; Louisa E., b. 1869.
k. Mary Magdalena, b. 17 Feb. 1838, d. 1861 of diptheria. She mar. Isaac McElfresh, a farmer. Issue: Sarah N. and John M.

33. JOHN JACOB KING (George Adam-Matheus-Abraham) was born 9 May 1788 in Nazareth twp., Northampton Co., Pa. The sponsors at his baptism were Jacob Boyer and Catharine

Durhammer. He moved to Westmoreland Co., Pa., with his parents as a child where he married Elizabeth Katherine ----- and settled in Sugar Creek twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. where he raised his family. He died 20 May 1872. Issue:

79. a. George William, b. 3 May 1830, d. 15 Apr. 1900.
b. Mary married Mr. Williams.
c. Catharine married Mr. Craig.
d. Jonathan, b. 1 Apr. 1827.
e. D. L. Hankey, a half brother.

34. JOHANNES KING (George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was evidently a man of more than ordinary intelligence. He was a great reader and at the time of his death had quite an extensive library for a countryman of that age. The appraisement of his estate showed more than 100 volumes of choice literature. He was born in Northampton County, Pa. 27 Mch. 1790 and baptised 5 Apr. 1790; witnesses: Johannes King and Catharine, his wife. He moved to Armstrong County with his parents about 1794. He married Susanna Heilman, daughter of Peter and Elizabeth Heilman,[41] born 8 Aug. 1788, baptised 30 July 1789 at Harolds Lutheran church, Westmoreland County, Pa. The sponsors were Theodore Wagner and wife Christina. She died 18 July 1851. He purchased in 1828 a farm just below Brick church, now owned by Dr. Clarence Eugene King. He was also a tailor and cooper by trade. He was a Democrat and died 1848. Both he and wife were buried at St. Michaels Lutheran church. They had the following children:

a. Mary Ann, b. 24 Feb. 1811; mar. 10 Apr. 1832 to John Heffelfinger, b. 8 Mch. 1810, d. 3 Mch. 1889; she d. 20 Sept. 1882; both bur. at Brick church. Issue: 1. Lydia, b. 1833 (twin); 2. Susannah, b. 1833 (twin); 3. Reuben, b. 1834, d. 27 Mch. 1886; 4. Geo. Washington, b. 6 Nov. 1836, d. 1910; 5. Maria, b. 3 Apr. 1839; 6. Esther, b. 11 Feb. 1842; d. 1913; 7. Jackson, b. 1845, d. 1912.

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[41]Peter Heilman, a tailor by trade, migrated with his family to Westmoreland Co., Pa., in 1796. Later he moved to Armstrong Co., Pa., where he purchased from the government a large tract of land. His wife was Elizabeth Harter. A monument erected in Heilman church cemetery in Kittanning twp. reads: "Peter Heilman, ancestor and early settler, died 1 June 1839, age 83 years 7 months." His children were: Gertrude; Christiana; Mary; Susannah wife of John King; John; Daniel; Solomon; Frederick; Robert; Margaret; Elizabeth; and Jacob.

80. b. George, b. 23 Dec. 1812, d. 11 July 1898.
81. c. Gideon, b. 2 Aug. 1814, d. 29 June 1896.
82. d. John, b. 5 May 1816, d. 5 Sept. 1896.
e. Selim, b. 1 Mch. 1818, d. 6 Jan. 1820.
f. Esther, b. 17 Jan. 1820; mar. John Woodside, 15 Nov. 1842. He d. 12 Mch. 1843. She mar, 2nd, Isaac Fitzgerald 9 Oct. 1845. He was b. 20 Apr. 1803. Issue by 2nd marriage, 1. Salina mar. John Schaffer; 2. Salinda; 3. Susannah; 4. Isaac Z.; 5. Zachariah; 6. Esther P.; 7. George; 8. Mary A.; 9. John J.
g. Susannah, b. 18 Oct. 1821, d. 17 June 1902, mar. Michael Schall 2 Mch. 1843; mar. 2nd, Ephraim Ruppert 3 July 1850. Issue with 1st mar.: 1. John King, b. 6 Mch. 1844; 2. Mary M., b. 25 July 1846, d. 26 Feb. 1926. Issue 2nd mar.: 3. Henrietta, b. 21 Feb. 1851, mar. John Grimes, b. 27 Nov. 1851 and had 8 children; 4. Lucetta mar. John Wagle; 5. Louisa wife of Samuel Sinclair; 6. Susanna A., b. 12 Oct. 1856, d. 1920; mar. 11 May 1876 Joel Erastus Kinnard, b. 14 Oct. 1854; 7. Elizabeth, b. 29 Jan. 1859, wife of J. W. Clendenning; 8. Ida Jane, b. 10 Mch. 1861, d. 28 Dec. 1861; 9. Helen Rebecca, b. 9 May 1864, wife of Thos. J. Shaffer; 10. Elhraim, b. 10 June 1866.
h. Lydia, b. 13 Sept. 1823, d. 15 Sept. 1823.
i. Eva, b. 26 Aug. 1824, d. 8 May 1876, mar. Robert Schall 15 May 1845. He d. 20 Apr. 1879. Issue: 1. Sarah Ann, b. 11 Feb. 1846 wife of S. Shaffer; 2. Levi G.; 3. Susanna mar. Freda Cook; 4. Lucretia mar. George Bruce; 5. Salina mar. Samuel Cook; 6. Benjamin F., b. 21 June 1860, d. May 28 1862; 7. Thomas Ellmore, b. 27 Feb. 1864; 8. Elizabeth.
j. Helen, b. 6 July 1827; mar. 26 Apr. 1846 to Geo. son of Jacob and Ann Gumbert Slease, b. 16 June 1825. He was a farmer and d. 5 Feb. 1903. She d. 24 Dec. 1899; both bur. at St. Michael's Lutheran church. Issue: 1. Frances Susannah, b. 16 Feb. 1847, d. 19 Feb. 1847; 2. Mary Ann Gilpin, b. 20 Apr. 1848; 3. Cyrus King, b. 14 May, 1850, d. 12 Nov. 1913; 4. John Allison, b. 5 Apr. 1852, d. 14 Nov. 1866; 5. James Mosgrove, b. 6 Oct. 1855; 6. Margareta Rebecca, b. 4 June 1858; 7. Clara

Isabella, b. 4 Jan. 1861; 8. Nora Naomi, b. 23 Aug. 1863; 9. Charles McMunn, b. 28 Aug. 1865, d. 1919.

k. Flora, b. 8 Sept. 1829, d. 19 July, 1912; mar. June, 1850, John Stivenson; res. Leechburg, Pa., a farmer. Democrat and both members of the Lutheran church; he d. 8 May 1894; both bur. in Evergreen cemetery. He was a brother of Joseph who mar. Sarah King. Flora Stivenson volunteered to place a bell in the tower of her church which led to a movement to provide chimes to which she contributed liberally. She was spoken of as the "mother of the chimes." They had 12 children: 1. Joseph H., b. 1851, d. 1920; 2. Samuel M., b. 1852, d. 1866; 3. Mary M., b. 1854; 4. Susannah A., b. 1855, d. 1928; 5. Flora R., b. 1857; 6. Barbara E., b. 1860, d. unmar.; 7. John G., b. 1861; 8. Jacob H., b. 1863, d. 1929; 9. Arthur J., b. 1865; 10. Geo. F., b. 1866; 11. Wilson O., b. 1870; 12. Charles Darwin.

35. HENRY KING (George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born in Armstrong Co., Pa., 21 Aug. 1794, baptised 14 Sept.; sponsors: Henrich Konig and wife Maria. His wife was Caroline Fisher. He owned a farm in Kittanning twp., later owned by his son Conrad George Job King and afterwards by William M. King, son of Conrad. He died 1843. Had issue:

a. Adam, b. prior to 1824.

b. Maria, b. 26 Feb. 1820, baptised at St. Michael's church, 16 Apr. 1820. She married George Henry and resided in Indiana County, Pa.

c. Catharine, b. 21 Apr. 1821, baptised at St. Michael's church 4 June 1821; mar. John Spiker; res. Armstrong Co., Pa.

d. Simon, b. 26 Feb. 1823; bap. 29 June 1823.

e. Lydia married Jacob Dunmire. Issue: Isaiah, b. 5 Jan. 1851; William A., b. 13 Dec. 1857; R. T., b. 22 July 1860.

83. f. Daniel.

g. Anna, b. 29 Nov. 1828, bap. at St. Michael's church 18 Oct. 1829; mar. Isreal Schall.

h. Salome, b. 18 Dec. 1830; mar. George McMullen; Issue: Eliza, Joseph and Mrs. Klugh.

84. i. George Conrad Job, b. 7 Mch. 1835, d. 7 Aug. 1910.

36. THOMAS KING (George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 1796 in Armstrong Co., Pa. He moved to South Bend twp., Armstrong Co. where he followed farming. He married Catharine Fisher, b. 1801, d. 1889. He was a Democrat and a member of the Reformed church. He died 24 Mch. 1841 having been crushed by the fall of a heavy piece of timber and is buried at South Bend. Issue:

a. Elizabeth, b. 16 Mch. 1820; mar. Isaac Robb and resided at Parnell, Atchison Co., Kansas. She d. 27 May 1909. Issue: Josiah, b. 1820, d. 1876; Thomas K., b. 1842; Mary A., b. 1845; Salem, d. y.; William W., b. 1848; Absalom, b. 1851; Kate Ann, b. 1843; Hiram, b. 1856; Daniel W., d. 1859.
b. Sarah, b. 14 Nov. 1821; d. 1899; mar. Geo. Smith.
c. Louisa A., b. 6 Nov. 1823, d. 1878; mar. Adam Rupert, son of Morris Rupert; he d. 25 Dec. 1832; res. South Bend twp.
85. d. William George, b. 22 Jan. 1826; d. 30 Mch. 1902.
86. e. Silas, b. 16 May 1828.
87. f. Daniel, b. 1 Oct. 1830.
88. g. Leon, b. 16 June 1833.
h. Mary Ann, b. 21 Jan. 1836, d. 1908; mar. Adam George.
i. Joseph, b. 1 June 1838, d. 1838.
89. j. Hiram, b. 17 July 1839.

37. SOLOMON KING (George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 10 July 1798 in Allegheny twp., now Bethel, Armstrong Co., Pa. He mar. Esther Shotts 28 Mch. 1820 and died 7 Dec. 1876. He lived many years on a farm in Manor twp., Armstrong Co., Pa., near Joint School House, on which his son Matthias lived after his death and on which William S. King, son of Matthias, later resided. Solomon owned the farm and was rated a good farmer and substantial citizen. He was a Democrat and a member of Heilmans Lutheran church. Buried at Manor church cemetery. Had issue:

a. Hannah, b. 29 Dec. 1820; d. 2 June 1902. She was a mute and unmar.
90. b. Joseph, b. 22 Feb. 1823, d. 7 Feb. 1916.
c. Leah, b. 30 June 1826; d. y.
d. Tobias, b. 13 Sept. 1828, d. 28 Nov. 1912. He was a mute; bur. in Appleby Manor cemetery.
91. e. Matthias, b. 6 June 1831; 15 Oct. 1923.

f. Daniel Rob, b. 24 Mch. 1833, d. 27 Oct. 1876, having been struck by a train. He was a mute and was buried in Manor cemetery.

92. g. George Adam, b. 25 Sept. 1835; d. 26 July 1887.

h. Elizabeth, b. 27 Nov. 1838; a mute.

i. Mary Ann, b. 24 Aug. 1841; died in infancy.

38. MATHIAS KING (Johannes-Matheus-Abraham) was b. 13 June 1789 in Nazareth twp., Northampton Co., Pa. and baptised 9 Aug. 1789; witnesses: Matheus and Christiana Konig, grandparents. He moved with his parents to Westmoreland Co., Pa. when quite young. He died prior to 1846. Issue:

a. Susan.

b. Mary.

c. Catharine.

39. JOHN KING (Johannes-Matheus-Abraham) was born and resided in Westmoreland Co., Pa. He died prior to 1846. Had issue:

a. Jonathan. On Aug. 1847 he presented a petition to the Orphans Court of Westmoreland County in which he stated that his brother James was a minor under 14 years of age.

b. Catharine married Thomas Moore.

c. Christianna.

d. John.

e. Elizabeth.

f. James born between 1833-1846.

40. SOLOMON KING (Johannes-Matheus-Abraham) was born and resided in Westmoreland Co., Pa. Had children of whom only the youngest are known.

a. Jacob.

b. George.

41. JOSEPH KING (Johannes-Matheus-Abraham) was born 11 Nov. 1808. He resided in South Bend twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. Had issue:

a. Catharine who married Harrison Miller and had sons Warren, John, Edward and Harry.

42. DAVID KING (George David-Matheus-Abraham) was born in 1808. He married Rebecca Hayes and resided in Saltsburg, Pa. He with his two daughters, Esther Elizabeth King and

Martella King, and Mary Jane Waddell and Sarah Waddell, the latter being his daughter-in-law, were drowned at Porter's Curve, or Salt Works, 1 Mch. 1860. His age was given as 57 years. The bodies were later found and David King was buried in the old graveyard as was also his wife. No tombstones have been found as this graveyard was abandoned years ago. Issue:

a. Esther Elizabeth, b. 1841, d. 1 Mch. 1860.
b. Martilla, b. 1843, d. 1 Mch. 1860.
c. William Fullerton, b. 22 Sept. 1847, d. 21 Sept. 1939.

43. CHARLES KING (Jacob-Jacob-Jacob-Abraham) was born 27 June 1824, baptised 4 Aug. 1824; witnesses, John Johnson, Sr., and Elizabeth Johnson. He resided in Bethlehem twp., Northampton Co. where he engaged in farming. At the outbreak of the Civil War he enlisted as a member of Co. H and was mustered in at Easton 21 Apr. 1861. His wife was Elizabeth Brader, daughter of Geo. and Elizabeth (Kreidler) Brader. He died 27 Oct. 1861, and is buried at Farmersville, Pa. His wife, after a widowhood of 5 years, on 25 Mch. 1866, married Reuben, son of John and Susan Keiper. He was b. 10 July 1819. The children of Charles and Elizabeth King were:

93. a. Charles
94. b. Andrew J., b. 20 Oct. 1846, d. 11 Mch. 1913.
95. c. Tilghman, b. about 1849, d. 5 Jan. 1905.
96. d. George Washington.
e. Emma mar. William Denninger; issue: Harry, Floyd and Charles.
f. Freeman, b. 7 Apr. 1854, d. 4 Sept. 1863. Buried at Farmersville, Pa.
g. Mary Anna (twin), b. 26 Apr. 1856; mar. Edward Walter, d. 24 Dec. 1932. They had been residing at Farmersville. She is buried in Easton cemetery.
97. h. Cornelius (twin), b. 26 Apr. 1856.

44. JAMES W. KING (David-Jacob-Jacob-Abraham) was born 10 May 1840 in Forks twp., Northampton Co., Pa. On 5 July 1868 he married Rosanna, dau. of Fred Brown, of Bethlehem twp. James King took up farming in Palmer twp. where he died of stomach trouble 4 Sept. 1888. Letters of administration were granted to his widow, Rosanna Koenig, 26 Sept. 1888, under penalty of $2,000 with John Brown and F. Brown as sureties. He is buried at Farmersville. Issue:

a. Laura Jane, b. 5 Sept. 1868; mar. George W. Deppen, son of William and Emma E. Deppen of Seipsville, Pa., 15 Oct. 1887. He was born 1 Dec. 1865. Issue: Irene K., b. Feb. 1902.

b. Emma May, b. 27 June 1870; baptised by Rev. J. W. Rath 11 Sept. 1870.

c. James David, b. 25 Jan. 1874 and baptised 5 Apr. 1878 by Rev. I. W. Bieber. He resided at Haddonfield, N. J.

d. Alice Amanda, b. 10 Apr. 1877; mar. Harvey A. Ruch 13 May 1905. He died suddenly of heart trouble 17 May 1905. She married, 2nd, Arthur Eugene Kemmerer 6 June 1908. He was b. 8 Feb. 1884.

e. Florence May, b. 22 Feb. 1886. She was a trained nurse. She enlisted for service in World War I and sailed for France Oct. 1917 and was stationed at the Naval Base Hospital, No. 5, at Brest, France.

45. DAVID KING (Daniel-Adam-Jacob-Abraham) was born 26 Oct. 1939 in Williams twp., Northampton Co., Pa., and baptised 1 Jan. 1940, the record appearing in St. John's Lutheran church register at Easton, Pa. He mar. Emaline Bachman, born 24 Feb. 1839, and died 6 Jan. 1891. He died 19 May 1891. Both are buried in the cemetery at Union church, Durham, Bucks Co., Pa. Had issue:

a. Ellemina, b. 30 Jan. 1868; d. 22 Feb. 1873; buried at Durham.

b. Anna Catharine, b. 11 Nov. 1871. She married William Heil.

46. DANIEL KING (Daniel-Adam-Jacob-Abraham) was born in Williams township, Northampton Co., Pa. 1 Feb. 1854. He married Isadore Snyder and engaged in farming. He was a member of the Lutheran church and a Democrat. He died at his home in Williams twp. 17 Dec. 1915 of apoplexy and was buried in the Durham cemetery. Issue:

a. David Alfred, b. 5 Nov. 1876; res. Spring Valley, Pa.

98. b. Daniel J., d. 16 Dec. 1942, age 63 yrs.

99. c. Charles B.

d. Joseph, b. about 1879; farmer; res. Riegelsville, R.D. # 1; member of Durham Lutheran church; d. 8 Mch. 1939 account of an automobile accident; bur. at Durham cemetery.

e. Mabel, mar. Raymond Kunsman, b. 14 Sept. 1884, d. 28 Nov. 1940, son of Stephen and Sabina (Unangst) Kunsman. They resided at Morgan Hill near Easton, Pa.

f. Anna, b. about 1898; mar. Frank Trauger; res. Lehnenburg, Pa. She d. 20 Apr. 1935; bur. in Durham cemetery. Had issue: Luther, Norman, Ralph, and Betty.

47. SAMUEL FRANKLIN KING (John-Adam-Jacob-Abraham) was born at Farmersville, Pa. 20 Sept. 1844; baptised 13 Nov. 1844, witnesses: Solomon and Anna Maria Engler. After completing his schooling in the district school he entered his father's store and eventually became a prosperous merchant at Farmersville. He was a member of the Lutheran church. He married Ida Schnable, dau. of Chas. and Sarah Schnable of Bethlehem twp. 8 June 1877. She was b. 19 Aug. 1853 and d. 1939. They had no issue but adopted a daughter of Charles Harrison and his wife, nee Huebner. She is known as:

a. Mabel Harrison King, b. 11 Jan. 1900; mar. Mr. Masters.

48. JOHN H. KING (Samuel-Adam-Jacob-Abraham) was born at Easton, Pa. in 1846. After receiving a high school education in his native town he moved to Ohio in 1861 and became an engineer. Later he became a traveling salesman in which occupation he is still engaged. In April, 1888 he married Miss Lucy M. Rand of Aurora, Ind.; res. Cincinnati, Ohio. Issue:

a. Charles A., b. 12 Apr. 1889; graduated from Hughes High School, Cincinnati, O. and is a traveling salesman.

49. ENOCH KING (David-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born in Allen twp., Northampton Co., Pa. 20 Apr. 1832 and d. 20 Nov. 1904. He was a farmer and lived in Weaversville, Pa. He was much interested in the public schools and served as a school director in his district. He mar. 22 Aug. 1863, Amanda A. Newhard, dau. of Jacob and Leah (Sames) Newhard. She was b. 23 Dec. 1841 and d. 30 Mch. 1926. They were members of the Lutheran church. Enoch King died of cancer and with his wife is buried at Howertown, Pa. They had issue:

100. a. George Albert, b. 13 Jan. 1864, d. 24 Feb. 1909.

b. Emma M., b. 26 May 1865; mar. 26 Apr. 1883 to Oscar M., son of Stephen and Katie (Steckel) Hoch,

b. 21 Mch. 1860 and d. 13 Aug. 1926 at his home near Weaversville, Pa. Issue: Palmer, b. 27 Apr. 1884; Printon, b. 26 June, 1886; Jennie, b. 11 Mch. 1889 and mar. Elmer J. Landis; Elmer O., b. 8 Oct. 1892; and Carrie, b. 14 Nov. 1896 and died 28 Dec. 1898.

c. Jacob A., b. 3 Jan. 1867, d. 10 Jan. 1871.

50. JOSIAH KING (David-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born in Allen twp., Northampton Co., Pa. about 1834 and died 10 Sept. 1909 of cancer. He is buried at Bath, Pa. He married Sally Ann Uhler and resided at Fullerton, Pa. She died 27 Aug. 1915, age 77 years. Had issue:

a. Sarah Jane, b. 18 Dec. 1860, mar. T. Frank Lynn and is buried at Bath. They have a daughter Lizzie, wife of George Holland, residing at Catasauqua, Pa.

101. b. David Henry, b. 7 Feb. 1863.

c. Mary Alice, b. 23 Feb. 1864, d. , age 2 years; bur. at Bath.

102. d. Cornelius Wilson, b. 11 May 1868.

e. William Peter, b. 21 June 1870; mar. Ida Sarah Dries 27 June 1903. She was b. 18 Sept. 1864. He is a fireman, a member of the United Evangelical church, P. O. S. A. and an Independent American. She is a dau. of Daniel and Mahala (Moyer) Dries of Berks Co., Pa. They resided in Northampton, Pa.

103. f. Franklin Porter, b. 10 Oct. 1872, d. about 1907.

51. AARON KING (Thomas-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born in Lower Saucon twp., Northampton Co., Pa. 3 Jan. 1830. He married Susanna Ruch, daughter of Christian and Susanna Ruch of Lower Saucon, 18 Dec. 1853. She was born 29 Nov. 1829 and d. 2 Feb. 1901. Mr. King was engaged for many years as a cattle drover and resided on a farm in Ironville, Pa. He was a member of the Reformed church. He died of heart failure 11 Mch. 1926. Both he and his wife are buried at Hellertown, Pa. They had issue:

a. Caroline, b. 23 June 1855; mar. Titus Shimer of Riegelsville, N. J., son of William and Elizabeth Shimer. Had issue: John; Robert; Titus A., b. 1 Dec. 1888, d. 23 Feb. 1923; Clara; Mabel; and Susan.

104. b. Robert Christian, b. 25 Oct. 1856, d. 30 Sept. 1923.

c. Susanna, b. 3 Oct. 1858; mar. Charles A., son of Edwin and Elizabeth Leidich, 5 Nov. 1881. He was b. in Lower Saucon twp. 25 June 1856. He was employed as a planning foreman for many years and resided in Hellertown, Pa. He was a member of the Lutheran church, a member of the choir for 40 years and superintendent of the Limekiln Sunday school. He d. Mch. 1917; she d. 1 May 1936. Issue: Mrs. Florence Lambert of Philadelphia, Pa., b. Oct. 28, 1882; Irene C., b. 24 July 1884, mar. Harry L. Ache, 3 Nov. 1904; Kate K., b. 24 Nov. wife of Harrison W. Laubach of Hellertown; Mrs. Marian Bechtold of Seidersville, Pa. b. 27 Nov. 1900.

d. Isabelle, b. 18 May 1860; mar. John C. Eakin, son of John and Anna M. (Clemens) Eakin 24 Nov. 1881; res. Springtown, Pa.

e. Sarah Ann, b. 7 July 1862; d. 14 July 1862; buried in Lower Saucon cemetery.

105. f. Thomas R., b. 8 Sept. 1863; d. 27 Dec. 1884.

g. Mary, b. 17 Dec. 1865; mar. Jacob J. Riegel, son of Levi J. Riegel, a native of L. Saucon twp., b. 13 Dec. 1860. She was a member of the Reformed church. She d. 11 Apr. 1837; buried at Hellertown. In 1894 Mr. Riegel and his wife moved to Bethlehem and for seven years was driver for a baker team. In 1901 he established a livery business which he conducted until July 1912 when he entered into partnership with Chas. Laramy in the undertaking business continuing until 1935 when he retired. He d. 3 Jan. 1938. Issue: Annie S., b. 7 Jan. 1889, d. 4 Jan. 1895; Arabella M., b. 28 Nov. 1887, d. 7 Mch. 1891.

h. Pruella, b. 15 Aug. 1867; mar. 6 Sept. 1888 to Elias Gruber, b. in Springtown about 1866, son of Wm. H. Gruver. She d. 20 Aug. 1940; buried at Hellertown.

i. Westa Sadie, b. 14 June 1870; mar. Harvey T. Hetrick; have children: Willard; Russell and Blanch wife of William Bohning. Mr. Hedrick was b. in Trumbaurersville, Pa. 2 Aug. 1869, son of Josiah and Maria (Thomas) Hedrick. He was employed for many years as a foreman at the Bethlehem Steel Company. He died 14 Feb. 1922.

j. Anna Margaret, b. 10 June, 1872; mar. 10 Dec. 1890 to Charles W. Bachert, b. 1868 in New Ringgold, Schuylkill Co., Pa., oldest son of William and Polly (Hauser) Bachert. He was a teacher in the public schools in Bethlehem, Pa. for 37 years. He died 22 Feb. 1933. Issue: Homer A.; Orwin W.; and Stanley Guy.

52. JACOB KING (Thomas-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born in Lower Saucon twp., Northampton Co., Pa. Feb. 1834 and d. 15 Mch. 1910. He resided in Ironville, Pa. where he followed the occupation of blacksmith. He married Levina Steinmetz. Both are buried in Ironville. Issue:

a. Mary S. S., b. 27 Oct. 1875, d. 24 Apr. 1876; bur. in Williams twp. cemetery.
b. Eva.
c. Robert J., b. 1 Jan. 1877; d. 17 Aug. 1877; bur. in Williams twp. cemetery.
d. Annie, b. about 1880; mar. 21 Apr. 1902 to William J. Schaner, a widower, b. about 1866 in Chester Co., Pa., son of Amos and Elizabeth Schaner. He was a silk worker.
e. Charles, b. about 1882. On 19 Dec. 1903 he mar. Ida J., daughter of George and Sarah Seagreaves of Allentown, b. 14 Sept. 1885, d. 9 June 1904, bur. in West End Cemetery, Allentown. She was a member of Hamilton Council # 28 D.A. and of the Lutheran church. No issue.
f. Ida O., b. about 1887; mar. Earl Baily, a machinist; res. Bethlehem, Pa. Issue: Ruth and William.

53. EDWARD DEEMER KING (Thomas-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born in Lower Saucon twp., Northampton Co., Pa. 13 Jan. 1835 and baptised 24 May 1835 by Rev. Kaemmerer as shown by the records of the Old Williams twp. Church. He d. 16 Apr. 1922. He was a farmer and lived near Hellertown, Pa. He married Mary Ann Lewis, daughter of Samuel Lewis and Mary A. Yost, 8 Apr. 1860. She was born 20 Oct. 1838 in Williams twp., confirmed in the Saucon Lutheran church by Rev. Becker and died 25 Mch. 1903 of pneumonia and consumption. He was blind for the last six years of his life. Both are buried in the cemetery at the old Williams twp. church. Issue:

a. Sarah Laura, b. 20 Apr. 1861; d. 13 Apr. 1862.
b. William Adam, b. 27 Oct. 1863; d. 24 Mch. 1872 of scarlet fever; bur. in old William twp. cemetery.

c. Preston, b. 26 Mch. 1865; d. 27 Mch. 1872 of scarlet fever.
d. Arabella, b. 17 Jan. 1868; d. 23 Sept. 1868.
e. Stewart, b. 5 Mch. 1869; d. 28 Mch. 1872 of scarlet fever.
106. f. Adam, b. 11 July 1870, b. 5 Feb. 1910.
g. Ida, b. 14 Jan. 1871, d. 19 Aug. 1871.
107. h. Victor W., b. 5 Mch. 1872.
i. Eva L. C., b. 3 Nov. 1875; mar. Alvin E. Reiss and had issue: Raymond, b. about 1896.

54. STEPHEN D. KING (Thomas-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born in Lower Saucon twp., Northampton Co., Pa. 10 Feb. 1836. He was a student at the Bucks County Normal and Classical School at Quakertown, Pa. after which he taught school in Lower Saucon twp. for a number of years. He also held various offices in the Lutheran church of Lower Saucon of which he was a member and served as an assessor in the township. In 1879 he was elected Recorder of Deeds of Northampton County and moved to Easton. He was re-elected in 1881. After serving six years in that capacity he taught schools in Palmer and Williams townships and at the time of his death was Assistant Superintendent of the Easton Heights cemetery. He was a member of Amana Lodge # 77, K. of P., Easton, and St. Lukes Lutheran church. He married Ellemina Peffer, b. 28 Feb. 1837. He died 26 Nov. 1897 and is buried in Easton Heights cemetery. Issue:

a. Elenora, b. 1 Oct. 1862; mar. Peter Pittenger, Jr., son of Peter and Anna Maria (George) Pittinger, 17 June 1886. He was b. 2 Nov. 1863. Issue: Ruth Maria, b. 19 Dec. 1893 and Helen, b. 7 June 1889. d. 4 Feb. 1893.
108. b. John Wesley, b. 16 Apr. 1866.
c. Matilda Catharine, b. 27 Mch. 1868; mar. James D. Kay; res. Roselle, N. J.
109. d. Amos Monroe, b. 31 Jan. 1870.
e. Charles N., b. 9 Mch. 1873, d. 10 Apr. 1876.
f. Sarah E., b. 27 Aug. 1875, d. 11 Apr. 1876.
g. Stephen Russell, b. 15 Nov. 1881, d. 1 Mch. 1883.

55. THOMAS D. KING (Thomas-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was widely known throughout the Lehigh Valley and the Delaware Valley as a professor of penmanship. He was born in Lower Saucon township, Northampton County, Pa., 23 Apr. 1841. In 1870 he moved to Easton, Pa., where he was a teacher in the public

schools of South Easton. For a number of years he also taught in the schools of Williams twp. and Lower Saucon twp. and later conducted schools for penmanship in various towns of the Lehigh Valley. Under his brother Stephen he served as deputy Recorder of Deeds for Northampton County. For nearly a score of years he suffered with writer's palsy. He was a member of Columbia Lodge, No. 136, I.O.O.F. of Easton and Bethlehem Lodge, No. 283, Free and Accepted Masons. He married Elizabeth A. Shimer, known as Eliza Shimer,[42] daughter of William and Elizabeth Shimer. She was b. about 1844 and d. 18 Aug. 1928. During the Civil War he served as Corporal in Company C., 153 Pennsylvania Volunteers. He was mustered in 8 Oct. 1862 and was captured at Gettysburg 1 July 1863. He d. 22 Aug. 1908. Had issue:

a. Arrietta Shimer, b. 25 Feb. 1868; d. 12 Aug. 1868; buried in Williams twp. cemetery.
b. Lillian, b. 22 Oct. 1871. She was a public school teacher in Easton for a number of years. She mar. Fred C. Lueck.

56. ISAAC LEWIS KING (Thomas-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born 7 Apr. 1844 in Lower Saucon twp., Northampton Co., Pa. At the age of 17 he entered as apprentice at the trade as boot and shoemaker with John Strauss in South Bethlehem and in 1863 he moved to Bethlehem where he engaged in business for himself. He was received as a member of Wesley Methodist Episcopal church Dec. 5, 1864. In 1866 he moved to Catasauqua where he worked with Jos. Lehr but returned soon after. On

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[42]Jacob Scheimer, b. 1679, came to Pennsylvania from Gersheim, Rheinpfalz, Bayern, Germany, prior to 1722. He mar. 1st, Margaret Papen, 2nd Elizabeth.... He d. 1757 and was buried at the old Saucon church, Williams twp. The children by the second marriage were: Jacob; Conrad; Samuel; Edward; Peter; Isaac and John. Isaac, the 6th son of Jacob and Elizabeth Shimer, mar. Elizabeth Kichlein. He was b. 6 Aug. 1749, was a member of Col. Baxter's Battalion under Capt. John Arndt of the "Flying Camp" in 1776 and d. 10 Apr. 1838. Issue: Jacob, b. 16 Sept. 1783; Elizabeth; Nancy; Polly, b. 1792; Susanna, b. 1788; and Sarah, b. 1794. Jacob Shimer, b. 1783, mar. Hetty Breinig. Issue: Isaac L.; Franklin; Chas.; Anna M.; and William. The youngest son, William, mar. Susan Seiffert and had children: Henrietta mar. James Schoop; Elizabeth wife of Thomas D. King; Isaac mar. Mary E. Cressman; Titus A. mar. Caroline King, b. 3 June 1855, dau. of Aaron King; and Jerome mar. Mary Bachman.

24 Dec. 1868 he married Miss Maria Adeline Knauss.[43] She was born 25 Mch. 1840 and was an active member of the Methodist church especially as a member of the choir and a teacher in the Sunday School. She died 12 June 1879 and is buried in Nisky Hill cemetery. His second marriage was to Mrs. Eliza Catharine Laubach, nee Kunsman, widow of Clinton Laubach. She was born 28 Mch. 1848 and died 15 Nov. 1939. As a member of Wesley Methodist church he served as a steward from 1882 to the time of his death (46 years) and also was a member of Washington Camp 23, Patriotic Order of the Sons of America. He died 29 Oct. 1928 and is buried in Nisky Hill cemetery. He had children with the first wife only.

110. a. Wilbur L. King, b. 14 Aug. 1871.
b. Anna Rebecca, b. 29 Aug. 1874; mar. Howard Cyrus Nuss 4 Feb. 1896. He was b. 24 Dec. 1874. They resided in Bethlehem, Salt Lake City, Utah, and Allentown, Pa. Had issue: Merrit, b. 26 Aug. 1897; Wilbur L., b. 5 Nov. 1898; Walter, b. 19 Jan. 1903, d. Aug. 1913.

57. JOSIAH EDMOND KING (Daniel-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born 3 Jan. 1840 and confirmed a member of the Lutheran church by Rev. Welden in 1857 at Hecktown, Pa. On 24 May 1866 he married Mary E., daughter of John T. and Elizabeth Frazier. She was born 10 May 1842. At the outbreak of the Civil War, Mr. King became a member of Company N, 28th Regt. Pennsylvania Volunteers and later became First Lieutenant Adjudant of

[43]She was a descendant of Ludwig Knauss who came from Titelsheim in der Wetterau, Germany, to America prior to 1723 and settled in Whitemarsh twp., now in Montgomery Co., Pa. With his wife Margaretha Görlach he had children John Henry, Sebastian Henry, Maria Catharine, and Sophia. Sebastian Henry Knauss was b. in Germany 6 Oct. 1714, mar. Anna Catharine Transue 1 Jan. 1741 and located in Emaus, Pa. He was of small statue, had auburn hair, was good natured and was a good conversationalist. They had children: Henry; Catharine; Leonard; Anna Maria; Johannes; Joseph; Elizabeth; Abraham; Jacob; John; Ludwig; Magdalena; Anna Johanna; and Philip. The 8th child, Abraham, was b. 1 Mch. 1775, mar. Elizabeth Beckel and lived in the "Drylands," Northampton Co., Pa. He d. 3 Aug. 1836. He was a horse shoer. Had issue: John, b. 1794; Anna Maria, b. 1780; and Anthony, b. 1796. Anthony mar. Anna, dau. of Henry and Elizabeth (Rockel) Snyder and had children: Elisa A.; Harriet; Cecilia; William H.; Sarah L. Thomas; Christiana; Elizabeth; Maria A. wife of Isaac L. King; and John W.

the 147 Regt. At the close of the war he located in White Haven, Pa., and engaged in the butcher and grocery business which he conducted for a number of years. He was a member of Lodge No. 467, F. & A. M. and of the Presbyterian church. He later became a resident of Flag Staff, Ariz. Had issue:

a. Mary Elizabeth, b. 4 Mch. 1867; mar. Benjamin E. Jones 2 Sept. 1896 and d. 14 Sept. 1910. They had no children.
b. Nora Edmonia, b. 4 Sept. 1869; mar. Eugene M. Barnes 4 June 1891. He was b. 28 Jan. 1866. Had issue: Florence R., b. 5 May 1904 and Donald K., b. 3 Nov. 1898.
c. Clara, b. 27 Sept. 1872; mar. Chas. Portz of Arizona 8 June 1913. No issue.
d. Edmond Harper, b. 29 Nov. 1881, d. 5 May 1904.
e. Hannah Thurston, b. 21 Dec. 1873; d. 1 Aug. 1874. Buried at White Haven, Pa.
f. Ruth Georgiana, b. 8 Mch. 1874; d. 14 Sept. 1877.
g. Ellen Jones, b. 16 Apr. 1875; d. 16 July 1875.
h. Frances Augusta, b. 17 Apr. 1876; d. 21 Apr. 1876.

58. JOHN HENRY KING (Daniel-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born 27 Mch. 1842. He was confirmed a member of the Lutheran church at Hecktown, Pa., in 1859. He was married by Rev. Reinick of Nazareth to Miss Louisa Rebecca Haas, daughter of John and Elizabeth (Wagner) Haas in July ----. She was born 7 Mch. 1843. He was a farmer and resided at Easton, Pa. They had children:

111. a. Eugene Herrman, b. 11 Sept. 1860.
b. Edmund Franklin, d. age 10 years.
c. Oliver Daniel, b. 3 Dec. 1864; d. 6 Mch. 1869 of heart disease.
d. John Adam, b. 30 Jan. 1867; d. 19 Apr. 1868 of pneumonia.

59. REUBEN KING (Daniel-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born 14 Mch. 1847. He married Mary P. Hays, b. 12 Oct. 1844 and resided in Allentown, Pa. where he was engaged in the lumber business. He died 16 May 1888 of Brights disease and is buried in Fairview cemetery, Allentown. His widow, Mary P. King, moved to Huntingdon, Pa. They had no children but adopted a daughter of John and Eliza Hays of Long Island, N.Y. She is known as

a. Helen Hays King. In 1888 she was under 14 years of age according to the court records.

60. GEORGE DANIEL KING (Daniel-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born 1848. He married Mary Peet. He was in the lumber business in Detroit and Hamilton, Canada. They had issue:

a. LeRoy, b.
b. Emletta, mar. Dr. Cadieux.
c. Dorothy, b. d. ; bur. in Saginaw, Mich.

61. LUTHER ERASMUS KING (Daniel-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born 12 Oct. 1854 in Lower Nazareth twp., Northampton Co., Pa. On 25 Oct. 1888 he was married to Rosa A. Haas, daughter of Peter Haas. For forty years he was in the grocery business in Allentown, Pa. He was a member of Zion Reformed church in that city. He died 28 May 1923. His wife was born 11 Nov. 1867 and died 14 Jan. 1922. She was a member of the Women's Auxilliary of the Young Womens Christian Association. They had issue:

a. Shirley Haas, b. 29 Aug. 1889. She graduated from the Allentown High School, class 1905 and was mar. 7 Oct. 1914 to T. Harold Hartzell, son of Frank T. and Mary A. (Knauss) Hartzell, b. in Allentown 16 Jan. 1887. Res. Bethlehem, Pa.
b. Vivian Frances, b. 14 Apr. 1891; graduated from Allentown High School, class 1908.
c. Reuben Neil, b. 23 Aug. 1893; graduated from Allentown High School, class 1911.
d. Marie Dorothy, b. 14 Dec. 1894.
e. Louis Garrison, b. 27 Nov. 1897.
f. Lucile Rose, b. 7 Jan. 1904; graduated from Allentown High School and Beechwood College, Jenkintown. She was on the teaching staff of the Allentown Hospital. She mar. Merritt W. Kistler.
g. Luther Edmund, b. 28 Aug. 1907; d. 1909.

62. REUBEN KING (Henry-Christopher-Jacob-Abraham) was born 7 Mch. 1821 and died 9 July 1844. He is buried at Hecktown, Pa. He was a school teacher in Lower Nazareth twp., Northampton Co., Pa. in 1840. He married Salome, known as Sally, born 20 July 1820, daughter of Michael and Catharine Moyer. Issue:

a. Oliver Henry, b. 17 Oct. 1843, d. 1 July 1844.

63. HENRY KING (Henry-Christopher-Jacob-Abraham) was born 2 Dec. 1826 in Lower Nazareth twp. He attended the common schools of the neighborhood and then took up the occupation of farming. In 1854 he moved to East Allen twp. and purchased the John Frederick farm and became a prosperous farmer. He married Anna Mary Magdalina, daughter of Thomas Young, 4 May 1851. She was born 5 Oct. 1828, died 25 Nov. 1899. Henry King served in several township offices, was a Democrat and a member of the Lutheran church. He died 5 Jan. 1901 and both he and his wife were buried at Hecktown, Pa. They had issue:

112. a. Benjamin F., b. 4 Sept. 1851.
b. Mary Ellen, b. 26 Feb. 1855; mar. John O. Bachman, warden of the Northampton County prison. They had one daughter.
113. c. Martin R., b. 26 Feb. 1855 (twin); d. 6 Mch. 1883.
114. d. William H., b. 17 Feb. 1859.
e. Milton Leander, b. 27 Feb. 1861; d. 26 Mch. 1861.
f. Laura Matilda, b. 12 Dec. 1862; mar. Edgar L., son of Edward and Ellenora von Steuben, 15 Oct. 1881. They had 3 sons and a daughter.
115. g. Charles Edwin, b. 5 June 1869.
h. daughter, b. 16 Sept. 1874, d. y.

64. ANDREW CYRUS KING (Peter-Christopher-Jacob-Abraham) was born 10 Mch. 1845, in Bethlehem twp., Northampton Co., Pa. He resided with his parents at the Pond, near Farmersville, and when a young man, taught at the Hay's school in the same township for one term. He then entered the employ of Benjamin F. Ritter who conducted a general store and coal yard at Freemansburg, Pa., for four years and in 1868 formed a partnership in the general store and coal business with John Schick. This continued for three years when Mr. King took over the entire business. In 1899 he entered the service of the Bethlehem Iron Company being retired on a pension a few years before his death. Mr. King married Elizabeth R., daughter of John and Catharine (Kuebler) Dietz 14 July 1872. She was born in Freemansburg 17 Aug. 1851 and died 27 June 1925. He served as a member of the Freemansburg Borough council for about 8 years and as a member of the School Board for 19 years, holding the office of president, secretary and treasurer at stated intervals. He was also tax receiver for one year and Mercantile Appraiser for Northampton Co. in 1882. He was a Republican in politics and was known as Cyrus King. He d. 20 Nov. 1925. Issue:

a. Lulu Irene, b. 23 July 1874.
b. Harry William, b. 21 Jan. 1877; chief engineer for the Morgan Engineering Co., Reliance, O. He mar. Elsie Zeiner June 1902. Has son Leon Nelson, b. 7 Sept. 1902.
c. Elizabeth May, b. 15 Jan. 1882.
d. Florence C., b. 7 Nov. 1885; mar. 25 May 1911 Raymond, son of Samuel Carty. She was baptised "Flora."
e. Helen Adele, b. 12 Mch. 1888; graduate of Freemansburg grammer school; mar. 5 June 1913 Dr. Harry Barron Carty, son of Samuel H. Carty of Riegelsville, Pa.; res. Freemansburg, Pa. Issue: Anita and Marian.
f. Alma Cornelia, b. 24 Sept. 1893; graduate of So. Bethlehem High School; mar. 23 Sept. 1922 Truman I. Beiber; res. Bethlehem, Pa.

65. OLIVER FRANKLING KING (Christopher-Christopher-Jacob-Abraham) was born 14 Mch. 1842. He married Amanda Engler of Bethlehem twp. 4 May 1875. He was a carpenter by trade and resided in Bethlehem, Pa. His wife was born 29 June 1846 and died 10 May 1910; buried in Altonah cemetery. They were members of the Lutheran church. Issue:

a. Lottie May, b. 26 Oct. 1875.
116. b. Arthur Ralph, b. 29 Aug. 1880.
c. Matilda Irene, b. 14 Aug. 1885; mar. Stanley B., son of Peter O. Koch; res. Palmerton, Pa.

66. GEORGE HENRY KING (George-Johan George-Jacob-Abraham) was born in Lehigh twp., Northampton Co., Pa. 28 Sept. 1841. He married Rebecca Pennebecker 27 Jan. 1867. He was engaged in the flour and feed business in Bethlehem for a number of years, later had charge of a blacksmith shop and afterward moved to Philadelphia where he was employed by the Penn Cornice Works. He was an active member of Wesley Methodist Episcopal church, in Bethlehem, filling several important offices. He was also a member of Bethlehem borough council and of Keystone Lodge # 78 I.O.O.F. He died 28 Nov. 1902 and was buried at Howertown, Pa. His wife was born 9 Aug. 1846. Had issue:

117. a. Harry Hiran, b. 11 Apr. 1868.
b. Mary Emma, b. 18 Feb. 1877 in Bethlehem and baptised 6 May 1877 by Rev. M. A. Day. She is a

talented musician and artist and a member of the Methodist church. She mar. Edward Bratton; res., Philadelphia, Pa. Issue: Edward King Bratton, b. 25 Mch. 1906.

67. JAMES PETER KING (George-Johann George-Jacob-Abraham) was born 13 Mch. 1844, in Lehigh twp., Northampton County, Pa. On 22 May 1866 he married Mary Jane Reed who was born in 1844 and died at Llanerch, Delaware Co., Pa. 22 June 1911. Mr. King was a manufacturer of galvanized cornices, door and window trimmings and operated under the name of the Lehigh Valley Cornice Works at Bethlehem for a number of years and later moved to Philadelphia where he conducted the Penn Cornice Works. He was a member of Keystone Lodge #78, I.O.O.F. He died at Edgewater, N. J. 13 Apr. 1905. Both he and his wife are buried in Nisky Hill cemetery, Bethlehem. Had issue:

a. Orrin Alva, b. at Bethlehem 17 Apr. 1867; d. at Camden, N. J. 12 Jan. 1875.
b. Nora Stella, b. 6 Jan. 1870; d. 11 June 1884; buried at Bethlehem.
c. Annie Rebecca, b. 8 Mch. 1872.
d. Bertha Adele mar. Dr. Horace Binney Morse 14 May 1902 and resided at Philadelphia.

68. JONATHAN KING (John George-Jonathan-Matheus-Abraham) was born in Armstrong Co., Pa. 5 Jan. 1804 and died in Berlin Center, Ohio, 28 Mch. 1896. He was a farmer and a member of the Evangelical Lutheran church. In politics he was a Republican. In 1824 he married Lydia, daughter of Michael and Katharine (Kern) Keck.[44] She was born at North Lima, Ohio,

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[44]Hendrick Gek (Keck) and wife, nee Peterson, sailed for America in the Pink John and William. They landed in Philadelphia Oct. 17, 1732 but soon thereafter they moved north to Big Spring near Allentown, (then known as Northampton) Pa. There he acquired 100 acres of land. He served as a soldier in the Revolutionary War. Their children were: Frederick who went to South Carolina; Henry (1738-1828); John; Eli; and George (1748-1816).

Henry Keck (1738-1828) enlisted as a private 26 Feb. 1777 in Capt. Yost Dreisbach's Company, Northampton County Militia. He had sons: Henry; Michael (1760-1808); Daniel; and Conrad.

Michael (1760-1808) was born at Lancaster, Pa. and died at North Lima, Ohio. He married Katharine Kern and resided in North Lima, O. Their children were: Daniel, b. 1790; Michael, b. 1799; Lydia, b. 13 Aug. 1806, d. 1875, married Jonathan King (1804-1896); Hannah mar. Elias Paulin.

13 Aug. 1806 and died at Berlin Center, Ohio 21 Feb. 1875. They had issue:

118. a. David, b. 20 Dec. 1825; d. 10 Sept. 1905.
119. b. Joseph, b. 1829; d. 25 Oct. 1918.
c. Katharine, b. 15 July 1827; d. 8 Aug. 1875; mar. Geo. Kale and moved to Michigan where she died.
d. John, b. ; d. in infancy.
e. Mary, b. ; d. in infancy.
f. Solomon, b. ; d. in infancy.
g. Susannah, b. 22 Apr. 1836; d. 20 Mch. 1910.
h. Sarah, b. 27 Nov. 1843; mar. Rev. Richard Engle; res. Seattle, Wash. He was Capt. in 155 Regt. in Civil War and later a Methodist minister in the South West Kansas Conference. He died 1912.
i. Hannah, b. 3 July 1845.
j. Melinda, b. ; d. age 14 years.

69. HENRY KING (John George-Jonathan-Matheus-Abraham) was born 13 Feb. 1811 and died 1901. He was a farmer. He married Juliann -----, b. 20 Jan. 1814 and died 17 Oct. 1893. They resided in Berlin Center, Ohio, and are buried in Mt. Moriah cemetery. Issue:

a. Isaac, b. 19 July 1843, d. 4 Sept. 1843.
b. Wesley, b. , d. 28 July 1889.
c. Zephaniah, b. 10 Feb. 1848, d. 1 Mch. 1849.

70. DAVID KING (Joseph-John Jonathan-Methues-Abraham) was a farmer and resided near Brady's Bend, Armstrong Co., Pa. He married Nancy Wiles and had seven sons, a daughter and then a son. He died in 1874, age 85 years. His children are:

120. a. Henry W., b. 1843, d. 1925.
121. b. Johnston J., b. 9 Feb. 1846.
122. c. Harvey, b. 10 Feb. 1848.
d. Harrison.
e. David.
123. f. Solomon Sylvester, b. 26 Oct. 1851.
124. g. Joseph Oliver, b. 25 Nov. 1853
h. Mary Emma, mar. Isaiah Meyers.
i. Nelson.

71. ABSALOM B. KING (Joseph-John Jonathan-Matheus-Abraham) was born 1829 and died 1906. He learned the carpenter's trade at Kittanning, Pa., and moved about 1860 to near

Lisbon, Ohio where all of his children were born except a half-brother who was born and raised in Franklin twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. He married 1st, Miss Susan Whitesell, daughter of Jonathan Whitesell, and 2nd, Mahela Regis. Had issue:

First marriage

a. son.
b. Judson, b. about 1872.
c. James Roland, mar. Miss Eva St. C. Smith of Dayton, Ohio. He was born 1854, died 1934. He was in the Real Estate and Insurance business at 978 Philadelphia St., Indiana, Pa. They had a daughter, Mary St. Clair King, b. ? who married J. Russell Guard, b. ?

Second marriage

d. Edward A., who resided in Ohio. He was secretary for Chas. E. Patton, a member of the House of Representatives, Washington, D.C. in 1913.
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72. SOLOMON KING (Isaac-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born near Brick Church, Armstrong Co., Pa. 22 Sept. 1812. After receiving a common school education he took up the trade of carpenter and cabinet making and was also a funeral director for a number of years. He married about 1833 Miss Susanna, daughter of Wilhelm and Maria Heffelfinger, b. 10 Mch. 1806. They resided in Kittanning, Pa. He was a Democrat and a member of St. Michael's Lutheran church at Brick Church. Had issue:

a. Sarah Jane, b. 15 Oct. 1835.
125. b. William Reilly, b. 28 Oct. 1837.
126. c. Francis Marian, b. 18 Nov. 1839.
127. d. Winfield Scott, b. 25 Aug. 1841, d. 1914. He served in the nine months campaign during the Civil War and was honorably discharged. Res. Kensington, Pa.
128. e. Josiah Jonas, b. 2 Mch. 1843.

f. Phoebe Belinda, b. 8 June 1845; mar. Martin, son of Tobias and Susannah (Klingensmith) Schotts. She d. 23 Dec. 1883. He d. 2 Feb. 1902. Issue: Edward, b. 6 June 1867; and Marietta, b. 13 Apr. 1870 who mar. Geo. B. Southworth.

g. Thomas Jefferson, b. 9 Apr. 1851.

73. ELIAS KING (Isaac-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 29 July 1814, at Brick Church, Armstrong Co., Pa. He married Sarah Robb, daughter of John and Anna Maria Robb, and moved to Homer City, Pa., and later to East Conemaugh, Cambria County, Pa., where he died 2 Jan. 1898. She died 3 Oct. 1888. Both are buried at Homer City. He was a stone mason and a cutter and was employed by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company for a number of years. He also served in the Civil War, was a member of the Lutheran church and a Republican. Had issue:

a. Samuel, b. 27 Nov. 1836. He was a soldier in the Civil War and was wounded by an explosion of a shell and was killed at the battle of Cold Harbor. He is buried in the soldier's plot in Washington. He was married and had several children.

b. Francis Franklin, b. 28 Apr. 1839. He was a bridge builder employed by the Pennsylvania R.R. Co. While erecting a bridge across the Susquehanna River at Harrisburg he fell from the structure and was drowned. He was a member of the I.O.O.F. Unmarried.

c. Malissa mar. Mr. Yeager, a brakeman on the Penna. R.R., who was killed.

d. Washington, b. 14 July 1841; died in Homer City in 1861.

e. Sadie, b. 15 May 1844.

f. William, b. 13 Mch. 1847; res. near Dubois, Pa.

g. Sarah Ann died in Homer City of diptheria in 1861.

h. Daniel R.

i. Mary Adeline died 1861.

74. ISAAC KING (Isaac-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born near Brick Church, Armstrong Co., Pa. 30 Apr. 1818 and died at Two Lick, Indiana Co., Pa. 28 May 1888. He received a common school education and engaged in farming, was a member of the Lutheran church and a Democrat. On 14 Jan. 1846 he married Eve, daughter of Henry and Elizabeth Dunmire. She died 22 Mch. 1873. They had issue:

a. Hannah Jane, b. Mch. 1847; d. 3 Sept. 1883.

b. Lucy, b. 1 Oct. 1848; mar. 28 Dec. 1869 to Thomas H., son of John and Lettie Ewing, b. 21 Jan. 1835, d. 12 Jan. 1915 who served in Co. C., 206 Regt., Penna. Volunteers. Issue: Elizabeth, b. 1872; John Mc C., b. 1874; Lemuel I., b. 1876; Emerson E., b. 1879; Helena M., b. 1881; Karl B., b. 1885; Homer P., b. 1888; Grace A., b. 1895.

c. Philip, b. 14 Jan. 1850; d. 27 Mch. 1876; unmarried.

d. Sarah Elizabeth, b. 7 Oct. 1851 at W. Lebanon, Pa.; mar. Oct. 11, 1881 to Wm. S., son of John and Eliza (Jones) Garland of Porter's Curve, Pa. He was b. 2 May 1854. Issue: Emma E., b. 1882; Mary G., b. 1885; Lester C., b. 1888; Clarence, b. 1890; Frances L., b. 1895.

129. e. Isaac Norman, b. 23 Mch. 1853.

f. Nancy, b. 17 Sept. 1855; mar. 29 June 1876 to Leander, son of Joseph and Ruth Gilbert, b. 10 Feb. 1849; res. Johnstown, Pa. Issue: Gisela R., b. 1877; Vesta E., b. 1879; Mabel C., b. 1882; Grace V., b. 1884; Lulu M., b. 1887.

g. Mary A., b. 25 July 1856; mar. Samuel D. Crusan, 16 Jan. 1877, b. 20 Dec. 1855, d. 26 Sept. 1914. Members of Presbyterian church and res. Derry, Pa. They had eleven children.

130. h. Robert Aaron, b. 9 May 1859.

131. i. Thomas Davis, b. 24 Jan. 1861.

j. Letitia, b. 1 Jan. 1864 in Westmoreland Co., Pa.; mar. 25 Dec. 1885 to Samuel J., son of Joseph and Rebecca Jenkins of Mifflin Co., Pa. He was b. 18 Sept. 1860, is a machinist and belongs to the P.O.S. of A. and the Royal Order of Moose # 74; res. Altoona, Pa. Issue: Annie, b. 1886, mar. Chas. I. Baird; Joseph C., b. 1889; Samuel H., b. 1891; Laura L., b. 1895.

k. Margaret, b. 1865; unmarried.

75. DAVID KING (Isaac-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 12, 1820 in Kittanning twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. He married Anna Mary, daughter of George and Anna (Stivenson) Ohlinger, 18 Feb. 1846 and was employed as a repairman on the Allegheny Valley Railroad. They resided in Kittanning and were members of the Lutheran church. He died 9 Feb. 1877 and she died 18 Mch. 1889. They are buried in the Roop Church graveyard. Issue:

a. Sarah Ann, b. 28 Feb. 1847; d. 3 June 1847.
b. Anna, b. 12 Apr. 1854, d. June 1881.
132. c. Gilmore, b. 18 Mch. 1856.
d. Sofia, b. 13 Apr. 1859; d. 13 Apr. 1859.
e. Mary Bell, b. 3 Aug. 1864; d. 25 Feb. 1884.
f. William Charles, b. 24 Feb. 1866. He was a bricklayer. On 14 Oct. 1891 he married Mary E., dau. of Andrew and Sarah A. Gould of Leechburg, Pa. Member of the Baptist church, the I.O.O.F. and the Knights of Malta. Res. Slatelick, Armstrong Co., Pa. No issue.

76. MICHAEL KING (Isaac-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 5 Jan. 1823 in Burrell twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. and died 4 Dec. 1891. He married Frances -----. Had issue:

a. Theodore, b. 29 Aug. 1847; d. 14 May 1883; bur. at Manor Church.
b. Emmet Alexander, b. 3 Dec. 1853.
c. Joel, b. 6 Aug. 1856.
d. Sanford, b. 29 May 1858.
e. Miles Irwin, b. 25 Aug. 1860.
f. Mary Angelina, b. 20 July 1863.
g. Mabel mar. Albert C. Ross who d. 7 Aug. 1921.

77. ABRAHAM KING (Isaac-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 2 Dec. 1825 in Burrell twp., Armstrong Co., Pa., and was baptised 1 Apr. 1826. He was a farmer and resided in Armstrong Co., Pa. During the Civil War he enlisted in Company K, 14th Pennsylvania Cavalry and was killed at New Market, Va. 15 May 1864. He was a member of the Lutheran church and a Democrat. He married Isabella, daughter of George and Anna (Stivenson) Ohlinger 17 Feb. 1847. She was b. 13 Apr. 1822, d. 20 Aug. 1877. Issue:

a. Eliza Dianna, b. Nov. 1851; mar. Peter Baker; res. Vandegrift, Pa. Issue: Julia wife of Mr. Artman.
b. Johnston, b. 9 Oct. 1854.
c. Anna, b. 3 June 1857.
d. Mary Angeline, b. 25 Apr. 1860; d. 18 Apr. 1891. She mar. Chas Schregengost.
e. Sabina Belle, b. 4 July 1863.

78. ROBERT TOWNSEND KING (Isaac-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born at Brick Church, Armstrong Co., Pa., 27 Nov. 1831, and was baptised at St. Michael's church, 8 Jan. 1832.

He received his education in the public school and then learned the trade of pattern maker, being employed in the Apollo Foundry and after the plant's removal to Vandergrift was employed there for a number of years. At the time the first steel mill was built at Leechburg he was superintendent of construction during the building of the plant. He married Harriet Elizabeth, daughter of George and Katherine (Murphy) Cline of Leechburg, Pa. He was a member of the Lutheran church and a Democrat. His wife was born 19 Dec. 1839 and died 29 June 1887. He died 14 May 1924 at Apollo and is buried in the old cemetery at Leechburg. They resided in Vandegrift. Issue:

133. a. Harry Rudolph, b. 29 Oct. 1864.
b. Mary Lenore, b. 12 May 1867. She attended the Leechburg public school and is a member of the Lutheran church. She mar. 21 June 1905 William Kennedy, son of John and Emily (Williams) Ray. He was b. in Parkwood, Indiana Co., Pa., 5 Jan. 1859. He is a member of the Order of Moose, a blacksmith, and is employed in the Vandergrift Iron Works. Res. Apollo, Pa.
c. William Findley, b. 19 Jan. 1870; d. 19 Jan. 1870.
d. Florence Anna, b. 20 May 1874; was educated in the Leechburg public school; mar. Benjamin F. Rudolf, son of H. A. and Elizabeth (Owens) Rudolf 3 July 1893. They are members of the Presbyterian church and reside at Vandegrift. He is a member of the I.O.O.F. and Royal Arcanum and she is a member of the Rebecca Lodge I.O.O.F. Issue: John J., b. 1894; Mary L., b. 1896; and Martha E., b. 1898.
134. e. Frederick W., b. 28 Apr. 1878.

79. GEORGE WILLIAM KING (John Jacob-George Adam-Matheus-Abraham). He was born 3 May 1830 in Sugar Creek twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. He married Magdalena, daughter of David and Catharine Kammarer, 14 Nov. 1848. He was a member of the I.O.O.F., Knights of Phythias, and the Lutheran church. His wife was born 24 May 1831 and died 29 June 1923. He died 15 Apr. 1900. He was a farmer and a Republican. The children were:

135. a. John Harvey, b. 21 Jan. 1850.
136. b. Daniel Sylvester, b. 31 Mch. 1853.
c. Catharine, b. 24 Nov. 1854, d. 4 July 1938; mar.

Georg Hiles, b. 1850, d. 1925. He was a coal miner. They had no issue.

d. Elizabeth, b. 1861, d. 8 Feb. 1881; mar. Lewis Kiefer. They had a daughter, Cora Maude, b. 28 Sept. 1878.

137. e. Jared Dale, b. 1862.

f. Margaret Leah, b. 15 Feb. 1867; mar. Wm. Corbett.

138. g. Aaron Alvin, b. 1872.

80. GEORGE KING (Johannes-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 23 Dec. 1812 and died 11 July 1898. On 13 Apr. 1837 he married Mary Ann, daughter of William Fiscus, born 16 Mch. 1820, died 19 Jan. 1897. Both are buried in the cemetery at St. Michael's Lutheran church, Burrell twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. George King was born in Kittanning township on what is now a part of the Stucy and Thomas Farm on the west side of Horney Camp Run near where John Slease in recent years erected a dwelling. He had a good education and taught school one or two terms under the subscription system in Kittanning township and was the first teacher in the log school house known as Riggle school. He later tried to conduct a store but was not very successful and later engaged in farming and so continued and was rated a good farmer. In 1854 he became the owner of 200 acres of land. He was a Lutheran being a charter member and frequently held offices in St. Michael's church. He was a Democrat and filled several township offices. He was familiar with the Pennsylvania German language and could read freely the German, especially the German Bible. He and wife celebrated their Golden Wedding surrounded by their descendants which numbered eight children, 30 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren. Had issue:

a. Carolina Amelia, b. 25 Mch. 1838 at 8:30 A.M. in the sign of the fishes; d. 30 Mch. 1889; bur. at Brick Church. She mar. John Robb, b. 21 June 1834, d. 8 Dec. 1903. She was a strong minded woman, kind and considerate toward others and a devout Christian. Issue: Estella, b. 1859; Milton E., mute, killed by a train below Ford City; Arthur W., b. 1871; Eunice; Josiah Jesse King (mute), b. 1868; George E., d. 1861, age 22 yrs.

b. Lucetta Amanda, b. 28 Oct. 1840 at 4 P.M. in the sign of the scorpion; mar. 1st, Henry Rupert; 2nd, Samuel Woodward. She d. 30 Oct. 1923. Issue, by 1st mar.: Belle, mar. Albert Thompson; Lizzie;

Hormer; John B.; Susanna; Amanda; George; William; and Martha.

c. Susannah Nancy, b. 14 Feb. 1843 at 4 A.M. in the sign of the ram. Mar. 1st, Jos. M. Richards, a veteran of the Civil War; mar. 2nd, Mr. McMune. She d. 28 Dec. 1912; bur. at Brick church. Issue: James; Nora; Catharine; Lillian; John; and Walter.

139. d. David Luther, b. 19 Oct. 1845.

140. e. John Bunyan, b. 26 Mch. 1848; d. 26 Aug. 1892.

f. George Adam, b. 15 Aug. 1850 at 11 P.M. in the sign of the bowman. d. 1 Nov. 1851.

g. daughter, b. and d. 9 Sept. 1852.

141. h. Aaron Calvin, b. 22 Apr. 1854.

i. Mary Ann, b. 12 Apr. 1857 in the sign of the scorpion at 12:30 P.M.; mar. Geo. J. Heilman, b. 20 Sept. 1849; d. 11 Sept. 1923; res. New Kensington, Pa.; members of Lutheran church. She d. 1 Apr. 1917. Both buried at Appleby Manor church cemetery. Issue: Holmes Ward, Gertrude mar. Luther Winters and Lulu mar. Neal Yount.

142. j. James Wesley, b. 29 Sept. 1859.

k. son, b. 27 May 1863; d. in infancy.

81. GIDEON KING (Johannes-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 2 Aug. 1814, died in Wickboro, Armstrong Co., Pa. 29 June 1896. He married Mary Wolf, daughter of George Wolf born 4 Sept. 1782. They were married 8 Mch. 1838. She was born 14 Oct. 1818, d. 23 Mch. 1902. He had a good constitution and a happy temperment. After 1860 he was a Republican. He and his wife were members of St. John's Lutheran church, Kittanning, at which place they were buried. He was a farmer at Wickboro. He held offices in the church and political offices in the township. Had issue:

a. Hulda, b. 5 June 1839, d. 9 Apr. 1846.

b. Susannah, b. 30 Nov. 1840 in Burrell twp., and died in Valley twp. 19 May 1866; mar. 12 Dec. 1861 George Marshall. Had issue: Mary Frances, b. 1864; Gideon King, b. 17 Apr. 1865, d. May 1904 in an attempt to rescue three men who were overcome with noxious gas down a water well which the men were digging. His widow received a Carnegie hero medal for his unselfish and brave effort.

c. Priscilla, b. 19 Sept. 1842, d. 11 May 1846.

d. Margaret Matilda, b. 3 June 1844, d. 23 Jan. 1931.

e. Mary Elizabeth, b. 25 July 1846 in Kittanning twp., d. 12 May 1905 in Wickboro; mar. in Pittsburgh, Pa. 29 Mch. 1869 to Adam Benjamin Franklin King, son of John and Christiana King, a cousin. He was b. 5 Dec. 1847.

f. Belinda Malissa, b. 17 Nov. 1848 in Bethel twp., d. in Wickboro 17 June 1907; mar. at Kittanning 7 Jan. 1875 to Robert Campbell Jordan. Issue: Bertha, b. 1875; Gideon, b. 1877; Jane, b. 1880.

g. Adam Hamilton, b. 5 Dec. 1850, d. 8 Mch. 1890.

h. George Williams, b. 3 June 1853 in Bethel twp. He was a stone mason. He mar. at Kittanning, Pa. Martha Bayne; res. at Wickboro. He was a Republican and a member of the Lutheran church. d. 30 Dec. 1923. They had no children.

i. Sarah Ellen, b. 8 July 1855; mar. 4 Sept. 1879 to John Ammon Peters; res. Leechburg, Pa. She d. 11 Oct. 1928. Lutheran. Issue: Mary, b. 1880; Jane, b. 1881.

143. j. John Lyns, b. 25 July 1857, d. 5 Sept. 1914.

144. k. Gideon James, b. 9 May 1859.

145. l. Robert Orr, b. 2 Jan. 1863.

82. JOHN KING (Johannes-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 5 May 1816. He married 13 Feb. 1840 Christiana, daughter of George and Susanna (Williams) Wolf[45] born 28 Jun. 1820; died

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[45]The Wolf Family traces their ancestry to George Wolf, Sr., who came to America 4 Oct. 1751 (4th 8ber, 1751) in ship Queen of Denmark. He settled in the Scotch-Irish settlement near Bath, Northampton Co., Pa. and was naturalized 1760. He raised a family of six children, viz.: Sybilla; Michael born about 1735; Catharine married Henry Beck; Barbara; George, b. 1737, who was the Governor of Pennsylvania in 1829, died 1809; Jacob, b. 4 Apr. 1756, d. 1838. Jacob Wolf (1756-1838) migrated to western Pennsylvania soon after the Revolution. According to the U.S. census of 1810 he resided in Hempfield twp., Westmoreland Co., Pa., the family consisting of one male 10-16 years of age, one male 16-26 years, one male 45 years and upwards, three females 26-45 and one female 45 years and upwards. Later he moved to Sugar Creek twp., Armstrong Co., Pa., a deed being on record dated 1 Mch. 1823 (deed Book, v. 5, p. 535), conveying a hundred acres, more or less "whereon the said Jacob Wolf now resides." During the Revolution he was a brigade wagon master and soldier. (Pa. Arch. s. 2, v. 13, p. 245.) His will was probated 19 Dec. 1838. He mar. Eva Christina, dau. of Matheus King, and had issue: Regina, b. 26 Mch. 1780 in Westmoreland Co., Pa.; Christina mar. Jacob Williams; George, b. 4 Sept. 1782, mar.

21 Apr. 1893. He attended the subscription schools and was acquainted with the Pennsylvania German dialect. He was physically robust and large. He was a Republican after 1860, active in local politics and held township offices frequently. He acquired his father's farm in Burrell township and resided there until his death 5 Sept. 1896. He was an active member of the Lutheran church. Both he and wife are buried at Brick Church. Issue:

a. Belinda Evalinda, b. 28 Dec. 1840; d. 20 Sept. 1843; bur. on the old cemetery on Bush Farm.
b. daughter, b. 25 Aug. 1842; d. 2 Sept. 1842; bur. on Bush Farm cemetery.
c. John Hancock Wolf, b. 30 June 1843, a physician.
d. George Williams, b. 18 Aug. 1845.
146. e. Adam Benjamin Franklin, b. 5 Dec. 1847.
f. Amos R., b. 1 May 1850, d. 21 May 1866; bur. at Brick Church, Pa.
147. g. Harmon Alvin, 7 Apr. 1852.
h. Harriet Amanda, b. 19 July 1854; d. 2 Dec. 1900; mar. Dr. J. W. McKee, son of William and Harriet T. (Huggans) McKee. He d. 3 Sept. 1891, age 45 y. 4 m. 27 d. Both bur. in the Methodist cemetery at Cochran, Pa. Issue: Claude Worth, a physician and Captain in the World War at Base Hospital #20. Carisle Emerson, a physician, entered World War as a captain and sent to Camp Dodge; Hattie; and Cleo, wife of C. Hale Sipe, an attorney.
i. Ruhana Christian, b. 3 Aug. 1856; d. 31 Aug. 1929; mar. 2 July 1874 to Oliver J. Woodward. He d. 10 Apr. 1894; bur. at Brick Church, Pa. Issue: Harvey B., b. 19 June 1875, d. 16 Apr. 1893; Anna Cloyde, b. 16 July 1880, mar. Chas. Arthur Brooks of Pittsburgh, Pa.
148. j. Samuel Albert, b. 1 Sept. 1858.
k. Jesse Heilman, b. 30 Nov. 1860; mar. 25 May 1892 Ollie Crawshaw. He d. 26 June 1936 a physician. Bur. at Worthington, Pa. where he practiced his

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1st, Susanna Williams, 2nd, Elizabeth Williams; Jacob; Matthias G., b. 5 May, 1785; John; Joseph; David; Solomon and Elizabeth. George Wolf b. 1782, had two daughters: Mary mar. Gideon King and Christina mar. John King, a brother.

profession as medical doctor for almost 50 yrs. He was Lutheran, F. & A.M. and I.O.O.F.

83. DANIEL KING (Henry-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born in Kittanning twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. Had children:

a. William Terry served in the World War at Camp Lee, Va. He was overseas about one year and was wounded in the foot.
b. Murry Lawrence was at Camp Lee during the World War and was discharged on account of a defective knee.

84. GEORGE CONRAD JOB KING (Henry-George-A.-Matheus-Abraham). He was born 7 Mch. 1835, died 7 Aug. 1910 in Kittanning twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. and was buried at Brick Church, Pa. He married Caroline -----. Issue:

a. John.
b. Margaret Agnes mar. -----Bouch.
c. Miles.
d. William M. mar. the widow of his brother Silas. She was bur. 1 Apr. 1926 at St. Matheus church, Rockville, Pa.
e. Agnes mar. -----Rupert.
f. Tilden.
g. Silas mar. -----Yount. They had a daughter Olive.

85. WILLIAM GEORGE KING (Thomas-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 22 Jan. 1826 in South Bend twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. and died 30 Mch. 1902. He was a member of the Reformed church and resided in So. Bend twp. He was a farmer and a Democrat. He married 12 Apr. 1850 Elizabeth, daughter of Abraham and Susan Frantz. Had issue:

a. Martha, b. 8 Jan. 1850; d. 26 Dec. 1929; mar. James B. Smith of Apollo.
b. Sarah, b. 6 Oct. ----; mar. Mr. Heasley of Apollo, Pa.
c. Thomas, b. Jan. -----; res. Kiskiminites twp., Armstrong Co., Pa.
d. Susan, b. 2 Oct. 1857, d. 3 Dec. 1898.
e. Louisa, b. 2 Dec. 1859; res. South Bend, Pa.
f. Abraham, b. 23 June -----; d. 6 Apr. 1883.
g. William George, b. 5 Dec. -----; d. 7 Oct. 1925 at New Kensington, Pa. hospital. He res. at So. Bend but for a long time previous to his death he lived

at Apollo where he was engaged in the undertaking business. He was a member of the Reformed church and a Democrat. He was married twice.

h. John W. Nevin, b. 15 May -----; d. 28 May 1909.

86. SILAS KING (Thomas-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 16 May 1828 in South Bend twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. He married Rebecca George and died 1903. Issue:

a. daughter mar. John Findley; res. Leechburg, Pa.

87. DANIEL KING (Thomas-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 1 Oct. 1830 in South Bend twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. He was a carpenter by trade and later engaged in farming. On the 3 Nov. 1853 he married Catharine, daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth Klingensmith of South Bend where they resided. She was born 2 Nov. 1833, died 20 May 1893. He was a Democrat and a member of the Reformed church and died March 1921. Issue:

a. Jane, b. 4 Nov. 1855; unmarried.
b. Lizzie, b. 28 May 1857; d. 22 Aug. 1915; mar. Albert P. Laughlin of Pittsburgh, Pa.
c. Jesse, b. 17 Feb. 1859; single.
d. Mary, b. 8 Jan. 1861; mar. E. K. Ankeny. Issue: Ross, Roy, and Jesse, all World War veterans.
e. Ann, b. 22 Apr. 1863.
f. Luella, b. 25 Dec. 1866; mar. Oliver Huntzberger.
g. Emma Catharine, b. 15 Nov. 1867.
149. h. James, b. May 1870.
i. Orpha, b. 31 Aug. 1873.

88. LEON KING (Thomas-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 16 June 1833. He resided in West Lebanon, Pa. and died in Indiana hospital in 1912 of kidney trouble, age 78 years. His wife, Jennie King, nee Dice, survived him. Had issue:

a. daughter, mar. Matthew Caldwell of Indiana, Pa.
b. Elizabeth, mar. Mr. Wherry of New Florence.
c. Margaret, mar. Mr. Iseman.
d. Wallace of Jacksonville.
e. Bird of Pittsburgh, Pa.
f. Elder.
g. Clay.
h. Annie, mar. and lived in Maine.

89. HIRAM KING (Thomas-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born near Cochran Mills, Armstrong Co., Pa. 17 July 1839 and died at Somerset, Pa. 23 June 1929. On 30 July 1858 he married Sarah, daughter of Abraham and Susanna Frantz of So. Bend, Pa. In the spring of 1860 he bought from David Ralston 50 acres of land to engage in farming. The following year he decided to prepare for college to study for the ministry but the Civil War came on and in 1863 he enlisted in the 57th Penna Militia. After his service he entered Franklin and Marshall College, graduating in 1870, and then entered the Theological Seminary of the Reformed church. He served six years in the Bellefont charge, then served as missionary at Lock Haven, Pa., Ridgely, Md., Allegheny City and DuBois, Pa. In 1881 he became pastor of Somerset charge which he served for 32 years, retiring in 1913. The title of Doctor of Divinity was conferred upon Rev. King by his Alma Mater in 1904. For 15 years to the day of his death he was chaplain of the Somerset County Home and for 40 years of the Grand Army Post of which he was a member. He was a frequent contributor to the various publications of the Reformed church and was the author of the booklets "Infant Baptism, Normal to the Gospel: An Argument," and "Life Ideals in Re-cut Gems." His wife was born 26 Nov. 1836 and died in 1913. Had issue:

a. Ida Catharine, b. 5 July 1860.
b. Arthur Adolphus, b. 10 Oct. 1861.
c. Laura Eugenia, b. 5 May 1863; mar. 15 May 1889 to Edwin Clinton Ferner, b. 24 June 1865, d. 4 Mch. 1894; res. Somerset, Pa. Issue: Reginald King, b. 13 Nov. 1890, d. 10 Mch. 1891; and Ruth Jernia, b. 6 Nov. 1891.
d. Irene Rosetta, b. 8 Nov. 1864; mar. 7 Sept. 1892 to Geo. J. Platt, b. 23 Feb. 1865; member of Reformed church; res. Somerset, Pa. Issue: Irma Sarah, b. 4 Aug. 1893; William Henry, b. 8 Sept. 1897, d. 8 Mch. 1899; Irene Rosetta, b. 25 Nov. 1900.

90. JOSEPH KING (Solomon-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 22 Feb. 1823 and resided in Armstrong Co., Pa. He married Susanna Arner, b. 2 Mch. 1828, d. 27 Sept. 1889. Mr. King was a man of excellent reputation and a member of Bethel Lutheran church. He died 7 Feb. 1916 age 92 yr. 11 m. 15 d. Both he and wife are buried at Appleby Manor cemetery. Issue:

a. Mary, b. 29 Mch. 1849; d. 23 Mch. 1878.
b. Hannah, b. Dec. 1851; mar. Henry Heilman of Bethel twp. Issue: Thompson and Ida wife of Perren Slease.
c. John F., b. 21 Nov. 1854; d. 27 June 1866.
d. Solomon.
e. Milton.
f. Henry.
g. James resides in Vandegrift, Pa.
h. Anna mar. Jonas Meyers of Bethel twp.; no issue.
i. George Adam.

91. MATHIAS KING (Solomon-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 6 June 1831. He resided on a farm in Manor twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. near Joint School House. He died 15 Oct. 1923 and is buried in Appleby Manor cemetery. His wife died 3 Sept. 1914. Members of the Reformed church. Issue:

150. a. William S., b. 19 Mch. 1859.
b. Margaret mar. James Edward Heilman, son of Simon Heilman. He d. Nov. 1929, age 67 years; bur. in Heilman's cemetery.

92. GEORGE ADAM KING (Solomon-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 25 Sept. 1835 in Manor twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. He died 26 July 1887 in Page Co., Iowa. His wife was C----. From the records in the Register of Wills Office in Kittanning, Pa. we learn that "Thomas M. King and Lizzie J. King, minor children of G. A. King, late of Page Co., Iowa" received their share of an estate from their guardian. These in addition to A. B. King and Mrs. C. S. King appear as heirs of Solomon King. The issue of Geo. Adam King appear to be:

a. Thomas M.
b. James H., b. 3 June 1860; d. 3 Aug. 1865; bur. at Manor church, Armstrong Co., Pa.
c. Lizzie J.
d. A. B.
e. C. S.

93. CHARLES KING (Charles-Jacob-Jacob-Jacob-Abraham) was married by Rev. Rath to Mary Ann Abel 3 Aug. 1867, both being residents of Bethlehem twp., Northampton Co., Pa. He was a farmer. His widow married Mr. Stephens, a farmer. He is buried at Allentown, Pa. Issue:

a. Laura mar. Henry Richter.

94. ANDREW J. KING (Charles-Jacob-Jacob-Jacob-Abraham) lived near Seipsville, R.D. # 2, Easton, Pa. He is a shoemaker by trade. He married Elizabeth Schweitser, born 10 Sept. 1836, died 3 May 1877 and is buried in Arndts and Messinger's cemetery. On 23 Dec. 1878 he was married by Rev. Bieber to Mary E. Brown, daughter of Frederick and Rosanna Brown of Palmer twp. She was born 27 Oct. 1864, died 1934. Issue:

First marriage

a. daughter, b. 19 Sept. 1877; d. in infancy.

Second marriage

b. Edwin Lee, b. 30 Oct. 1879; res. Wilson Borough.
c. Stewart Frederick, b. 23 Nov. 1881, d. 15 Feb. 1917.
d. Elsie Minerva, b. 15 Jan. 1884; mar. Asher Young of Easton, Pa. Dec. 1907. He was b. 30 Nov. 1884.
e. Flora Jane, b. 25 Mch. 1887, d. 9 Jan. 1927; unmarried.
f. Lizzie May, b. 9 Nov. 1891; mar. Clarence Savitz of Easton, Pa. Mar. 1911.
g. Howard David, b. 2 Dec. 1894. He is a silk worker. He mar. Anna T. Conaghan May 1917.

95. TILGHMAN KING (Charles-Jacob-Jacob-Jacob-Abraham) was born about 1849 and died 5 Jan. 1905 of Brights Disease. He was a coach-smith by trade and was foreman of the J. W. Gerhard & Sons Carriage Works at Macungia, Pa. for 25 years. He married Ellen, daughter of Henry and Matilda Haas. His widow married 1906 Samuel Geissinger of Bethlehem, Pa. The children of Tilghman and Ellen King were:

a. Elizabeth Matilda, b. about 1871; mar. Chas. H. Reese, son of Harrison and Rebecca (Schantz) Reese 5 Sept. 1891. He was b. 21 Mch. 1871 in Maxatawny twp., Berks Co., Pa. Members of Baptist church. Issue: William; Oscar; Kinsey; Chas.; Ellen; Margaret; Elizabeth; Eva; and Dorothy.

151. b. William J., b. about 1875.
c. Helen May, b. 31 Mch. 1883; mar. Frank Ziegler of Vera Crus, Pa.; d. 13 May 1923. Issue: Irene E.; Marion M.; Ruth N.; and Lorraine.
d. Dora Alice, b. 25 Dec. 1884; d. 9 Jan. 1904; mar. Frank Ziegler Jan. 1903.
e. Sarah Ellen, b. 25 Nov. 1886.

96. GEORGE WASHINGTON KING (Charles-Jacob-Jacob-Jacob-Abraham) married Emma Garrett of Wilmington, Del. and died about 1889. He is buried at Philadelphia, Pa. His widow resided at 1236 Nelson St., Philadelphia. Issue:

a. Violet.
b. Edgar.
c. Walter.

97. CORNELIUS KING (Charles-Jacob-Jacob-Jacob-Abraham) was born in Bethlehem twp., Northampton Co., Pa. 26 Apr. 1856. He married Susan Araminda, daughter of Daniel and Mary Ann Keim 7 Oct. 1886. She was born 11 Oct. 1860 in Forks twp., Northampton Co., Pa. Mr. King went to Philadelphia about 1877 where he resided for a short time. Upon his return to Bethlehem he followed the trade of machinist at the Bethlehem Steel Company. Later he was employed as superintendent at the Philadelphia Hosiery Mill. He was a member of the Lutheran church and the Modern Woodmen of America. He died of heart disease 25 Jan. 1921; buried in Forks twp. cemetery. His wife died 8 May 1922. Issue:

152. a. Royce Daniel, b. 5 Feb. 1888.
b. Russell Keim, b. 27 Jan. 1893, d. 23 May 1893; bur. at Forks Cemetery.
153. c. Walter Cornelius, b. 27 Sept. 1896.

98. DANIEL J. KING (Daniel-Daniel-Adam-Jacob-Abraham) was born at Riegelsville, Pa. He spent his entire life in farming. His wife, Minnie L., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Ache, was born 30 Mch. 1876 in Bethlehem. She died 6 Oct. 1931 of heart disease and is buried in Union cemetery, Hellertown, Pa. Daniel J. King died 16 Dec. 1842, age 63 years. They resided at Carpenterville, N.J. and were members of the Lutheran church. Had issue:

a. daughter, mar. Richard Ellis.
b. Mamie, mar. Clarence Trauger.
c. William Daniel, mar. Eva Mae Henn 5 Sept. 1925; res. Hellertown. They have a son Paul David, b. 1929.
d. Kenneth, mar. Miss Billiard, dau. of Allen A. and Carrie E. Billiard. Res. Hellertown, Pa.
e. Charles, mar. Helen Kichline.

99. CHARLES B. KING (Daniel-Daniel-Adam-Jacob-Abraham) was born in Williams twp., Northampton Co., Pa. On 19 Nov.

1901 he married Sarah S., daughter of Jos. and Mary Fretz of Riegelsville, Pa. She was born 2 Jan. 1884, died 19 Sept. 1929. They resided in Riegelsville. Had issue:

a. Newton S., mar. Elizabeth, dau. of Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Sinclair 20 Aug. 1927; res. Holland, N.J.
b. Clarence.
c. Mary.
d. Elda.
e. Helen.

100. George Albert King (Enoch-David-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born 13 Jan. 1864 in Allen twp., Northampton Co., Pa. He married Lucy M., daughter of Jacob Reimer of Moore twp., Northampton Co., Pa. about 1886. He was assistant surveyor for the Atlas Cement Company and resided in Weaversville, Pa. He was a member of the Modern Woodmen Camp # 10842. He died 24 Feb. 1909 and is buried at Howertown, Pa. She was born about 1867. They had issue:

a. Hattie M., b. 3 July 1888; mar. Edwin B. Lilly Feb. 1910; res. Northampton, Pa.

101. DAVID HENRY KING (Josiah-David-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born 7 Feb. 1863. He resided in Northampton, Pa. He married Mary, daughter of John and Emeline, nee Carroll, King. She was born at Bath, Pa., about 1861 and died at Allentown, Pa. 18 July 1908; buried in Greenwood cemetery. Members of the Lutheran church. Issue:

a. Harvey.
b. Gertrude M., wife of Edwin H. Kern; res. Allentown, Pa.
c. Cora A., mar. Russell E. Dreisbach 10 Sept. 1910.
d. Annie.
e. Emma.
f. Carl.

102. CORNELIUS WILSON KING (Josiah-David-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born 11 May 1868 in East Allen twp., Northampton Co., Pa. He was married 5 June 1890 to Clara A. Kinney, daughter of Edwin and Ellen (Dech) Kinney of Fullerton, Pa. He was a hotel keeper and resided in Allentown, Pa. He was born about 1870. Had issue:

a. Claud W.
b. Harold W., b. about 1903.

103. FRANKLIN PORTER KING (Josiah-David-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) died about 1907 and is buried at the Schwenkfelder church about five miles from Lansdale, Pa. He married Ida Rader of East Greenville. Issue:

a. Charles W.
b. Blanche, a nurse.
c. Helen, resided at Lansdale, Pa.
d. Robert.

104. ROBERT CHRISTIAN KING (Aaron-Thomas-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born 25 Oct. 1856 in Lower Saucon twp., Northampton Co., Pa. After completing his education in the township schools, he studied medicine in the University of Pennsylvania, graduating in 1875, and from Bellevue Hospital Medical College in 1876. He located at Limeport, Pa. and later moved to Hellertown, Pa., where he died 30 Sept. 1923. He married Adelaide Alice, dau. of Francis and Susan Reiman 16 Feb. 1878. She was born 6 Nov. 1859 and died 20 Mch. 1915. Dr. King was a Democrat and served as Councilman in Hellertown and as County and State Committeeman. He was a member of Lehigh County Medical Society and of the American Medical Association. He was a director of the Saucon Valley Trust Company and the Saucon Valley Building and Loan Association. He was a member of the Knights of the Golden Eagle of Vera Crus, Pa., the Knights of Pythias of Limeport, and the Red men of Allentown, Pa. He and his wife are buried at Hellertown. Issue:

a. Austin Flint, b. 29 Aug. 1881; prepared at Perkiomen Seminary for medical college and in 1898 entered the Baltimore Medical College. He d. 8 June 1901.
b. Robert, b. d. Feb. 1890 at Limeport.
c. Russel, b. d. Feb. 1890 at Limeport.
d. Marian S., graduated from class 1911, Hellertown High School and from Allentown College for Women, class 1912. She mar. John F. Baker of Bangor, Pa. 18 Feb. 1913.

105. THOMAS R. KING (Aaron-Thomas-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born 8 Sept. 1863. He married Emma Dimmick and died 27 Dec. 1864 of typhoid fever. He is buried at Springtown, Pa. His widow married Mr. Moll. Thomas and Emma King had issue:

a. Mamie graduated in class 1904 at Mary Drexel School Philadelphia, Pa. She mar. Paul Mayfield. Res.: Norristown, Pa.

106. ADAM KING (Edward-Thomas-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born 11 July 1870. He was a carpenter by trade and resided in Lower Saucon twp., Northampton Co., Pa. He married Miss Annie Snyder of Durham, Pa. 2 Dec. 1893. He died 5 Feb. 1910 and is buried in the old Williams twp. cemetery. His widow married Milton Houser. The children of Adam and Annie King were:

154. a. Wilmer V., b. 26 June 1895.
b. Jennie mar. Ralph Koch.
155. c. Elmer, b. 3 Aug. 1899.
156. d. Edward F., b. 12 May 1902.
e. Norman.
f. Robert E., mar. Mary Ruth Schneider 20 Apr. 1935; employed at Laros Silk Mill, Bethlehem. Res.: Hellertown, Pa.
g. Florence, mar. Chas. Stevenson; res. at Camden, N.J.
h. Raymond, b. 1910.

107. VICTOR W. KING (Edward-Thomas-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born in Lower Saucon twp., Northampton Co , Pa. 5 Mch. 1872. On 25 Sept. 1897 he married Sarah Heimbach, born about 1877 at Emaus, Pa. She d. 21 Mch. 1946. Daughter of Wm. M. and his wife Leana, nee Wilt, Heimbach. Mr. King is the treasurer of the Kappler Fox Foundry Company, Philadelphia, and resides in Camden, N.J. In 1912 he was elected city councilman to represent the seventh ward in Camden. In this capacity he served the Democratic party for ten years. In 1922 he was elected Camden's first Mayor under the commission form of government and later treasurer of the Camden County Park Commission. Issue:

a. Ethel, b. 21 May 1898; mar. Howard Mounce.
b. Grace, b. 12 Dec. 1899.
c. Edward, b. 23 Nov. 1901.
d. Marietta, mar. Carl B. Widell Mch. 1934.
e. Earl.
f. Victor S.

108. JOHN WESLEY KING (Stephen-Thomas-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born 16 Apr. 1866 in Lower Saucon twp., Northampton Co., Pa. He attended the public schools in Lower Saucon and Easton, Pa. after which he entered Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa. from which latter institution he graduated in 1889. He was confirmed in the Lutheran church at Easton and on locating in Akron, N.Y. he joined the Methodist Episcopal

church. He was originally a Democrat, later an Independent and in 1912 a Progressive in politics. He was a practicing physician and surgeon. On 16 June 1891 he married Lydia Allsta, daughter of Philip and Alleta Matina (Winge) Hedrich of Scranton, Pa. Her maternal grandparents were born in Norway. Mrs. King was born 24 June 1870. Dr. King was a member of the F. & A.M. at Akron, N.Y., Bradford Chapter Royal Arch Masons, Bradford Council Royal and Select Masons, Trinity Commandry Knights Templar of Bradford, Coudersport Consistory Scottish Rite 32 Mason, Coudersport, Ismailia Temple Ancient Arabic Order of the Mystic Shrine, Buffalo, N.Y., Bradford Lodge Benevolent Protective Order of Elks, Tuna Lodge Knights of Pythias of Bradford, Court Valiant Independent Order of Forresters of Toronto, Ont. and the American Institute of Homeopathy of America. He died 28 June 1925 and is buried at Bradford. Had issue:

a. Harold Austin, b. 4 Aug. 1892; d. 4 Sept. 1892.
b. Earl Hedrich, b. 2 Sept. 1893, d. y.
c. Austin Wesley, b. 20 Oct. 1894, d. 29 Dec. 1899.
d. Ralph Wellington, b. 2 Apr. 1897, res. Cleveland, O.
e. Marion Hannah Dorcis, b. 3 Feb. 1900; mar. Mr. Fitz.

109. AMOS MONROE KING (Stephen D.-Thomas-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born in Williams twp., Northampton Co., Pa. 31 Jan. 1870 and moved to Easton, Pa. with his parents in 1879. On 13 Oct. 1894 he married Annie Elizabeth, daughter of Simon Peter Kieffer.[46] She was born 13 Oct. 1869. He was a clerk in Bush & Bull's department store. Fraternally he is a member of Lehicton Lodge I.O.O.F. and of the Encampment of which he is a past Patriarch. Issue:

a. Florence Elemina, b. 14 Mch. 1896; mar. Elwood E. Beers of Roselle, N.Y.

110. WILBUR LEWIS KING (Isaac L.-Thomas-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born 14 Aug. 1870, in Bethlehem, Pa. He

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[46]Andrew and Elizabeth (Whitesell) Kieffer had children: 1. James; 2. Simon Peter; 3. William of Nazareth, Pa.; 4. Maria wife of Chas. Miksch of Nazareth; 5. Harriet wife of William Gruber of Easton; 6. Benjamin of Catasauqua; 7. Eleanor wife of Mr. Hummel of Easton. Simon Peter Kieffer, the second son of Andrew and Elizabeth Kieffer, was b. in Easton 23 Feb. 1846. He was a member of Co. F, 47th Penna. Regt. His first wife was Catharine Beaver with whom he had children: 1. William H.; 2. Annie E. wife of Amos King, b. 1870.

graduated from the Bethlehem High School class 1889, the Bethlehem Business College 1891, and the Chautauqua Literary and Scientific Circle, class 1894. He entered the employ of the Old Bangor Slate Company as stenographer and accountant and later was claim investigator and adjuster in the office of the Freight Claim Agent of the Lehigh Valley R.R. Co. When the office was moved to Philadelphia in 1905 he accepted a position in the Vice President's office of the Bethlehem Steel Company. In 1906 he was elected Secretary and Accountant of the Lehigh Valley Cold Storage Company of which company he was also a director. In 1909 he was elected Cost Accountant for the Hall Signal Co., at Garwood, N.J. When the Peoples Trust Company was organized at Bethlehem he was elected Real Estate and Trust Officer of that institution. In 1934 he opened an office as Insurance and Real Estate broker at Bethlehem. On 9 Sept. 1897 he married Miss Irene Marian Keiper, dau. of Charles T. and Mary (Zellner) Keiper[47] of Allentown. Upon her marriage Mrs. King joined Wesley Methodist Episcopal church and took an active interest in the work. She was born 9 Feb. 1876, died 9 Feb. 1915. Mr. King's second marriage was to Miss Elizabeth E., daughter of Dr. H. and Clara (Detwiler) Roebuch[48] 11 Oct. 1916. Her early

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[47]There is a tradition in the Keiper Family that their kin were first represented in America in 1763 but the name does not appear in the assessment list of 1764 in Northampton County, Pa. Three brothers—John Keiper, b. 19 Oct. 1751, Peter Keiper, b. 21 Oct. 1755, and Henry Adam Keiper, b. 1757 settled in Allentown. Their birth place was Meissenheim, in Zweibruecken, Germany. John Keiper was the first tobacconist in Allentown settling there in 1763. He had a family of eleven children and died 1833. Peter Keiper, b. 1755 was a shoemaker located at Allentown. He had a family of eleven children and died 1813. Henry Adam Keiper, b. 1757, d. 6 Aug. 1817. He was a Revolutionary soldier and lived on Walnut St., near 6th, Allentown. He had issue: Catharine wife of Peter Good; Elizabeth wife of Jacob Hagenbuch; John; Gabriel; Daniel and William, b. 1795, d. 1830, was a soldier in the War of 1812 under Capt. John Ruhe, 5th Company, 2nd Light Infantry. He mar. (1st) Catharine Keck with whom he had: Owen W. (1825-1880) mar. Mary Ann Moll, dau. of John and Elizabeth (Ueberroth) Moll (1829-1908) and had issue: Allen W. (1849-1877); Chas. Tilghman, (b. 30 Jan. 1853, d. 24 Dec. 1884); Walter O. (1851-1920) and Elenora (1855-1935) wife of Const. Losch. Chas. Tilghman Keiper (1853-1884) mar. Maria Anna Zellner 2 Nov. 1872. She d. 19 Apr. 1935; had issue: Sadie O. (1874-1937) and Irene M. A. (1876-1915) wife of Wilbur L. King.

[48]Valentine Roebuck came to America in ship Chance, Charles Smith master, from Rotterdam, 9 Sept. 1763, through the port of Philadelphia.

life was spent in Canton, Ohio, where she was born 28 Mch. 1875 but her parents returned to Bethlehem in 1877 where her father was a prominent physician for many years. She attended the Moravian Seminary and College for Women in 1894 after which she took a course in art at the Institute of Industrial Art, Philadelphia. Devoting her time to china painting, she conducted a studio on Main Street for many years. She too was active in the work of the Methodist church serving as a member and officer in the Epworth League, a teacher in the Sunday School, secretary of Opportunity Ten Circle of Kings Daughters, and president of the Womens Home Missionary Society. She died of heart disease 3 Nov. 1937. Both wives are buried in Nisky Hill cemetery.

Upon his marriage in 1897, Mr. King took up his residence in West Bethlehem, later a part of Bethlehem. On 10 Jan. 1905 he was sworn in as a member of the Board of Health and a few months later became the president of the Board. In February, 1905, he was elected a councilman on the Democratic ticket but was obliged to resign on account of moving to another ward. He held numerous offices in the church, among them being superintendent of the Sunday School for nine years and a member of the Board of Stewards and Trustees for over forty years. He was interested in local history and published a "History of Wesley Methodist Episcopal Church of Bethlehem, Pa." in 1902; "History of Bethlehem Lodge No. 283, F. & A.M." in 1904; "An Abandoned Cemetery" in 1910; "Contributions to the Genealogy of the Kings of New Jersey prior to 1800" in 1914; "History of

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He located in Mahanoy twp., Northumberland Co., Pa. as early as 1774. His wife An: Barbara Rebock(in) was a communicant at the first recorded communion of Himmels church at Rebuck, Pa. in 1776. He died in 1802. They had sons: John Adam, b. 8 July 1763; Michael, b. 14 July 1769; and John Peter, born 1774.

John Peter, b. 1774, d. 2 Dec. 1851. He mar. Margaret Sholly, b. 29 Apr. 1772, d. 26 Jan. 1856. They resided in Swatara twp., Lebanon Co., Pa. and had issue: John Jacob, b. 1807; John Peter, b. 1810; David; Barbara; Polly and John.

John Jacob Roebuch, b. 14 Jan. 1807, d. 5 Sept. 1877, mar. 26 July 1832 Sarah Yingst, b. 18 Jan. 1812, d. 6 Mch. 1887. They resided in Lebanon, Pa. Issue: Maria b. 1832; Daniel, b. 1834; Lydia, b. 1835; Sarah, b. 1836; Peter J., b. 1838; John H., b. 1840; Margaret M., b. 1842; David Y., b. 1844; Jacob R., b. 1846; Emma R., b. 1848 and Ellen A., b. 1851.

John Henry Roebuck, b. 4 Oct. 1840 at E. Hanover, Lebanon Co., Pa., d. 16 Aug. 1916; was a physician at Bethlehem. He mar. Clara A. Detweiler 27 May, 1869. Issue: John E., Clara Z., Mary E.; Elizabeth E. wife of Wilbur L. King; Dr. John Paul of Lancaster.

Keystone Lodge No. 78, I.O.O.F." in 1917; "Knauss Genealogy: Lukas Knauss (1633-1713) of Düdelsheim, Germany and his American Descendants" in 1930; also in manuscript "Annals of Methodism in Bethlehem, Pennsylvania from 1777 to 1902" in two volumes.

Mr. King took a keen delight in nature, being especially interested in botany, conchology and coleoptera. In 1912 he published "The Flora of Northampton County, Pa." and in 1911 "Pennsylvania German Plant Names." He held memberships in Bethlehem Lodge No. 283 Free and Accepted Masons; Keystone Lodge No. 78 I.O.O.F.; Washington Camp No. 310 Patriotic Order Sons of America; Lehigh Consistory, 32° Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry; Northampton County Historical and Genealogical Society; Pennsylvania German Society; Valley Forge Chapter Sons of the American Revolution; The Bethlehem Natural Science Association of which he was the organizer; and the Academy of Natural Science of Philadelphia. Had issue by first marriage only:

a. Florence Eleanor, b. 13 June 1902; graduated from Bethlehem High School, class 1919; attended the Moravian Seminary and College for Women one term and then entered Pennsylvania State College, graduating with class 1923 with AB degree. She taught in Bethlehem Junior High School for several years and then moved to New York where she was stylist for several leading firms up to the time of her marriage at Guayaquil, Ecuador 20 Feb. 1931 to Baron Domenico Carbonelli di Letino, Secretary of the Ecuadorian Branch of Concepcion Oilfields. He was b. 30 Mch. 1902 in Portici, a province of Naples. His father was Baron Guglielmo Carbonelli di Letino, Duke of Simari and was General Intendent of Finance for many years. His parents resided in Naples, Italy. Baroness Florence Carbonelli has traveled widely through Europe, Egypt, South America and Hawaii Islands. She resides in New York City. She mar. 2nd, Jeremiah D. Maguire 6 Aug. 1951.

157. b. Charles Wilbur, b. 28 Aug. 1907.

111. EUGENE HERMAN KING (John H.-Daniel-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born 11 Sept. 1860 in Forks twp., Northampton Co., Pa. He married Miss Ida Ealer and resided in Easton. For more than 40 years he followed the trade of

machinist, being employed by Wilson Bros. and later by the Easton Engineering Co. He died 16 Dec. 1935, having been struck by an automobile. His wife died several years previously. They had children:

a. Florence May, b. 11 Mch. 1884, mar. Orrin F. Kocker, b. 8 Mch. 1882; mar. 5 Aug. 1908. He d. 26 Jan. 1939.
b. Lottie Day, mar. Samuel L. Getter 20 July 1910. Had dau. Lucy.
c. Helen Louisa, b. 15 July 1889; mar. Alvin W. Rohrbach, d. 1944.
d. Edgar E., b. 11 Feb. 1886; mar. Harriet Maude Blake, b. 14 Nov. 1887; mar. 3 Sept. 1907.

112. BENJAMIN FRANKLIN KING (Henry-Henry-Christopher-Jacob-Abraham) was born 4 Sept. 1851 in Lower Nazareth twp., Northampton Co., Pa. He attended the township school and on the death of his father he assumed the management of the old homestead farm in East Allen twp. which became his property by inheritance. He was a Democrat and served his party as a school director for several terms. He married Elizabeth C., daughter of Charles and Mary (Ritter) Hess, 29 Sept. 1872. She was born in Bethlehem twp. 10 Aug. 1850 and died 2 Sept. 1932. Members of the Lutheran church. He died 6 Mch. 1915 of Bright's disease and with his wife is buried at Hecktown, Pa. Had issue:

a. Mary Charlotte, b. 17 Feb. 1873; d. 1 Sept. 1873 of cholera infantum.
158. b. George Henry, b. 1 Aug. 1874.
c. Milton Franklin, b. 3 Nov. 1875, d. 28 Jan. 1876.
159. d. Robert Charles, b. 4 Dec. 1876.
160. e. Clayton Franklin, b. 22 Apr. 1879.
f. John William, b. 2 Sept. 1882; res. in Hanoverville, Pa.

113. MARTIN RICHARD KING (Henry-Henry-Christopher-Jacob-Abraham), a twin, was born 26 Feb. 1855. He married Ellen S., daughter of Aaron and Margaret E. Lerch, nee Weaver, of East Allen twp. 31 Dec. 1878. He died 6 Mch. 1883 of scrophulous consumption. She was born at Stockertown, Pa. about 1857 and died 2 May 1931. She is buried at Bath, Pa. Issue:

a. Mary Margaret, b. 29 May 1882; mar. Elmer C. Heberling b. in Allen twp. He d. at Allentown

11 June 1937, age 64 years as the result of injuries received in an auto accident. Mr. Heberling was a school teacher for 26 years at Emmaus, Pa., and operated a farm in Saucon twp. Bur. at Bath.

114. WILLIAM HENRY KING (Henry-Henry-Christopher-Jacob-Abraham) was born 17 Feb. 1859. He married 23 Sept. 1882 Sevilla R., daughter of George and Marietta Johnson of Lower Nazareth twp., Northampton Co., Pa. Mr. King was employed by the D. L. & W. R.R. Company. He was a member of the Nazareth town council and a Lutheran. He died 11 Aug. 1916; buried at Hecktown, Pa. Had issue:

a. Laura Sevilla, b. 14 Apr. 1883; mar. John Watts Blake 21 Oct. 1911, a telegraph operator.
b. Mary Ellen, b. 10 Apr. 1884; mar. Thomas Martin, d. 1 June 1945.
c. Gertrude May, b. 12 Apr. 1885 (twin); mar. Frederick T. Gerlach about Sept. 1907.
d. Birdie Mabel, b. 12 Apr. 1885 (twin); mar. Mr. Ruth.
e. Annie Elmira, b. 15 Nov. 1866; mar. Raymond Newhart.

115. CHARLES EDWIN KING (Henry-Henry-Christopher-Jacob-Abraham) was born in Lower Nazareth twp., Northampton Co., Pa. 5 June 1869. He is a well-digger. He mar. 23 Oct. 1890 Alice L., daughter of Lewis and Maria Gold. She was born 3 Sept. 1867. Members of the Lutheran church. They have resided in Connecticut, Nazareth, Pa. and in 1904 moved to Waxham, N.C. Issue:

a. Lewis, b. 29 May 1889; res. Ragland, Ala., later in Passaic, N.J.
161. b. Frank Martin, b. 15 Apr. 1893.
c. Clark Edwin, b. 11 Apr. 1896; res. Philadelphia, Pa.
d. Russell Gold, b. 5 Apr. 1902; res. Allentown, Pa.

116. ARTHUR RALPH KING (Oliver F.-Christopher-Christopher-Jacob-Abraham) was born 29 Aug. 1880 at Farmersville, Pa. He was married to Miss Lottie E., daughter of Joseph Dillworth Stocker and wife Elizabeth, nee King[49] of Williams twp.,

[49]John Konig, b. 1770, resided in Haycock twp., Bucks Co., Pa. He mar. Barbara Bissa and d. about 1855 and is buried at Kellers Church, Bucks Co., Pa. He was a farmer. Had issue: Mary, b. 1795; John Samuel, b. 28 Nov. 1800; Catharine, b. 10 Aug. 1804; George, b. 7 Dec.

Northampton Co., Pa. 8 Mch. 1902. After their marriage they resided in Easton, Pa. and later moved to San Francisco, California. She died at Valle Jo, Calif. as a result of an auto accident. Issue:

a. ; bur. in Hays cemetery, Easton.
b. Ralph, b. 16 Jan. 1906, d. May 1906 in hospital at San Francisco as result of an earthquake shock.

117. HENRY HIRAM KING (George H.-George-Johan George-Jacob-Abraham) was born 11 Apr. 1868. He graduated from the Bethlehem High School, class 1884. He then entered the Bethlehem Preparatory School, class 1896, and Lehigh University, graduating as a mechanical engineer, class 1890. He married Miss Millie Cyphers, a graduate of class 1884 Bethlehem High School. During his residence in Bethlehem Mr. King was a member of the Wesley Methodist church and served as church organist for some time. After his marriage the family moved to Philadelphia. He was a member of the architectual firm of King, Killough & Co. and later was connected with the firm of Ritter and Shay, designers of the Liberty High School and the Hotel Bethlehem, both of Bethlehem, Pa. He died 13 Oct. 1936 and is buried in Nisky Hill cemetery. Issue:

a. Evelyn, mar. Ralph Sauber.
b. Mary Dorothy, b. 4 Jan. 1896, in Philadelphia; mar. Earl C. Bernhard, b. 1 June 1897. They have a son, Robert King Bernhard, b. 3 Oct. 1919.
c. George Russell.

118. DAVID KING (Jonathan-John George-Jonathan-Matheus-Abraham) was born 20 Dec. 1825 and lived in Berlin twp., Mahaning twp., Ohio. He was a farmer, thresher, blacksmith, and inventor. He married Mary Smith 23 Mch. 1852. He d. 10

1806; Abraham, b. 11 Feb. 1810; Jacob, b. 29 Nov. 1812; Aaron, b. 11 Apr. 1818; and Joseph, b. 17 Mch. 1816.

The third child, Samuel King (1800-1875) mar. 19 Aug. 1824 Elizabeth Ziegenfuss, b. 2 Apr. 1803, d. 12 Apr. 1874. He was drowned in the Lehigh River 3 July 1875. Both he and his wife are buried in Williams twp. cemetery. They had issue: John, b. 1824; William, b. 1826; Adam, b. 1830; Josiah, b. 1833; Katharine, b. 1835; George, b. 1840; Samuel, b. 1838; Charles, b. 1841; Titus, b. 1849; Sarah; and Elizabeth wife of Joseph Dillworth Stocker.

The writer has not been able to prove any relationship between this branch of the King Family and that covered by the subject of this genealogy.

Sept. 1905. She d. 29 Jan. 1892. Both members of the Methodist church. Issue:

162. a. Mervin W., b. 16 Jan. 1853.
b. Clark E., b. 9 Sept. 1855, d. age 16 years.
163. c. Frank M., b. 13 Oct. 1860.
164. d. George Lincoln, b. 27 Mch. 1865.
e. Ida F., b. 4 Apr. 1868; mar. Clarence Cover 11 Sept. 1880, a farmer. Res. Berlin Center, Ohio. Issue: Lila, Carlos, Claud, Oscar and Mary.
f. Lovina L., b. 3 Aug. 1876.

119. JOSEPH KING (Jonathan-John George-Jonathan-Matheus-Abraham) was born and always lived on the homestead. He was born 1829, died 25 Oct. 1918. He married Lucinda Greenamyer who died 29 May 1902, age 70 years. He and his wife are buried in the North Berlin cemetery, Ohio. Issue:

165. a. Warren H., b. d. 1912.
b. Samantha T., resided on the old homestead in Berlin twp.
166. c. Orva T.
d. LuElla.
e. Alberta resided in Youngstown, Ohio.

120. HENRY W. KING (David-Joseph-John Jonathan-Matheus-Abraham) was born 1843 and died 1925. He was drowned while boating on the river. He married Louisa Gernerd, b. 1863, d. 1934; both are buried in the St. Paul's Reformed church cemetery, Sugar Creek twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. Issue:

a. George.
b. Ethel resides at Brady's Bend.
c. Verna resides at Amnity.

121. JOHNSTON J. KING (David-Joseph-John Jonathan-Matheus-Abraham) was born 9 Feb. 1846, d. 9 July 1920. He married Mary Ellen -----, b. 11 Jan. 1849, d. 3 May 1935. Both are buried in St. Paul's Reformed church cemetery, Sugar Creek twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. He was a member of the Odd Fellows. Issue:

a. Cora L. Media, b. 1870.
b. Masura Maland, b. 1873.
c. Mabel Wilhelmina, b. 21 Jan. 1879.

122. HARVEY KING (David-Joseph-John Jonathan-Matheus-Abraham) was born 10 Feb. 1848, died 1925. His wife was Mary

Jane -----, b. 1855, d. 1932. Both are buried in St. Paul's Reformed church cemetery, Sugar Creek twp. Issue:

a. Levi Ross, b. 25 Aug. 1877.

123. SOLOMON SYLVESTER KING (David-Joseph-John Jonathan-Matheus-Abraham) was born in Armstrong Co., Pa. 26 Oct. 1851, died 1918. He was a coal miner. He married 20 Dec. 1877 Mary Emma Meyers, b. 10 Sept. 1858. Both buried in Mt. Pleasant Evangelical Lutheran cemetery in Sugar Creek twp. Issue:

a. William Andessa, b. 1 Oct. 1878; mar. Hattie Hodges, 22 Aug. 1906.
b. Albert Clarence, b. 3 Mch. 1880.
c. Anna Pearl, b. 30 Sept. 1881; mar. William Sipe, a Methodist minister and Superintendent of the Old Peoples Home at Connelsville, Pa.
d. Ida May, b. 16 Sept. 1883; mar. 5 June 1907 to Joseph Griffiths.
e. Margaret Alma, b. 23 July 1885; mar. 19 Dec. 1907 Ethan Thompson, b. 23 July 1885; res. Chicora, R.D.L., Armstrong Co., Pa.

124. JOSEPH OLIVER KING (David-Joseph-John Jonathan-Matheus-Abraham) was born in Armstrong Co., Pa. 25 Nov. 1853 and died 6 Dec. 1921. He married Elizabeth A. Meyers, born 12 Feb. 1861, died June 1927. He is a farmer and member of the Lutheran church. Issue:

a. Elva Jeanette, b. 29 Jan. 1881; mar. 2 June 1909 Samuel B. Morgan, b. 25 Jan. 1883. P.O., E. Brady, R.D. 1, Clairon Co., Pa.
b. Minnie Viola, b. 17 May 1883; mar. Henry Vencel.
167. c. Perry David, b. 27 Apr. 1889.
d. Vina Adelaide, b. 17 Apr. 1890.
e. Lester L., b. 1892, d. age 3 months 1 day.
f. Iva Beryl, b. 1 Sept. 1902; mar. McKinley Adamson.

125. WILLIAM REILLY KING (Solomon-Isaac-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born near Kittanning, Pa. 28 Oct. 1837, and baptised 3 Dec. 1837, according to the record of St. Michael's Lutheran church, Brick Church, Armstrong Co., Pa. He was a member of the 78th Regiment under Col. William Sirwell and was honorably discharged after having gone through seventeen battles. Res. Brookville, R.F.D. # 6, Jefferson Co., Pa. Issue:

a. H. F. res. at Brookville, R.F.D. # 6, Pa.

126. FRANCIS MARIAN KING (Solomon-Isaac-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 18 Nov. 1839 at Brick Church, Armstrong Co., Pa., where he attended the township schools. On 25 Nov. 1879 he married Eliza, daughter of William and Eliza Frantes. He followed the occupation of driller of oil wells. He was a member of the Lutheran Church and a Democrat. During the Civil War he enlisted in the 78th Regiment under Col. William Sirwell and was honorably discharged. He died 18 May 1874. The family resided at Parkers Landing, Pa. Had issue:

168. a. William Francis, b. 10 Nov. 1880.
169. b. Edward Kline, b. 29 Jan. 1883.
c. George, b. 3 Oct. 1891, d. 10 Oct. 1891.

127. WINFIELD SCOTT KING (Solomon-Isaac-George Adam-Mathias-Abraham) was born 25 Aug. 1841. He served during a nine months campaign in the Civil War and was honorably discharged. He married Mary Adaline Brown, born 23 Jan. 1847 and died at the home of her son, Harry W. King, at Cannonsburg, Pa. on 3 Jan. 1932. Winfield Scott King died at New Kensington, Pa. in 1914. Both he and his wife are buried in Oak Spring cemetery at Cannonsburg. Had issue:

a. William Hall, b. 19 Feb. 1867 at Kittanning, Pa. d. 28 Mch. 1937. Mar. Lela Malcolm. They had no children.
b. Mary Adaline, b. 4 May 1869 at Brady's Bend, Pa.; mar. Frank Uncapher.
170. c. Francis M., b. 8 June 1871.
171. d. Albert Collins, b. 22 July 1873.
172. e. Ferdinand Protzman, b. 22 Jan. 1877.
173. f. Harry Wade, b. 7 Sept. 1879.
g. Fanny Irene, b. 19 Feb. 1882, d. 1 Oct. 1940; mar. Charles Emrick. Had two children.

128. JOSIAH JONAS KING (Solomon-Isaac-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 2 Mch. 1843 near Kittanning, Pa. He married Susanna Engle. Upon the outbreak of the Civil War he enlisted in the 78th Regiment under Col. William Sirwell and was honorably discharged. Had issue:

a. Infant, dec.
b. Infant, dec.
c. Anna L., mar. C. C. Rogers; res. Ridgeway, Pa.
d. William Francis, b. 2 May 1871.
e. Thomas.

129. ISAAC NORMAN KING (Isaac-Isaac-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born at Jacksonville, Pa. 23 Mch. 1853. He was reared on the farm and received a common school education. On 19 Oct. 1876 he married Annie E., daughter of John D. and Debora Hoffman. She was born 13 May 1849. He is a Prohibitionist and resides in Center twp., Indiana Co., Pa. Issue:

a. Nellie Myrtie, b. 23 Dec. 1877; mar. 25 Feb. 1904 Milton B., son of Abraham and Margaret Bowman, b. 11 Feb. 1876. Issue: Cordelia Pearl, b. 1 Aug. 1905; Florence Catharine, b. 28 May 1910; Nora Agnes, b. 7 May 1914.
b. Laura D., b. 24 Apr. 1880.
c. Sadie Catharine, b. 26 Oct. 1882, d. 16 Feb. 1911.
d. Ruth May, b. 19 Jan. 1885, d. 22 Jan. 1885.

130. ROBERT AARON KING (Isaac-Isaac-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born at Roaring Springs, Pa. 9 May 1859. He was educated in the public schools and is employed as an inspector in the Allegheny Railroad shops. In politics he is Independent. He is a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church and the I.O.O.F. On 9 May 1889 he married Ada, daughter of William and Permilla (Hendrickson) McKesson. She was born at Homer, Pa., 30 Mch. 1861. They reside at Oakmont, Pa. Issue:

a. William Lawrence, b. 23 Mch. 1890.
b. Lulu Pearl, b. 13 Mch. 1895.
c. Charlotte Elizabeth, b. 26 Dec. 1896.
d. Ada Permelia, b. 15 Apr. 1900.

131. THOMAS DAVIS KING (Isaac-Isaac-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 24 Jan. 1861 at Roaring Run, Pa. He received a common school education. On 8 June 1861 he married Annie Kathryn, daughter of John H. and Sarah M. (Wilson) Hommer. He was an engineer, a Lutheran, and in politics a Progressive. Address: Glasgow, Pa. Had issue:

a. Charles Thomas, b. 12 Feb. 1882; mar. Bess R. Hamilton.
b. Alice Kathryn, b. 26 Mch. 1883; d. Aug. 1884.
c. Herman, b. 18 Aug. 1885, d. 29 Nov. 1885.
d. Mary Margaret, b. 10 Apr. 1888; mar. Joseph Clare Wolfe of Coalport, Pa.
e. Ella May, b. 1 July 1889.
f. Bess Irene Pearl, b. 17 Oct. 1890.
g. Susan Jane, b. 22 Mch. 1893; mar. Wm. Snyder of Utahville, Pa.

h. John Calvin, b. 9 June 1896.
i. Anna Elisa, 13 Jan. 1900.

132. GILMORE KING (David-Isaac-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born at Kittanning, Pa. 18 Mch. 1856. He received a common school education and became a locomotive engineer. On 12 June 1874 he married Laura, daughter of William and Lucy (Rupert) Sloops. She was born 12 June 1861. Her father was a veteran of the Civil War and for many years court crier for Armstrong Co., Pa. Gilmore King is a Democrat and a Lutheran. Resides in Kittanning, Pa. Issue:

a. John W., b. 19 Dec. 1879.
b. Nancy, b. 28 Aug. 1881.
c. Alice Pearl, b. 20 Mch. 1884, d. 12 May 1884.
d. Alexander Montgomery, b. 15 June 1888, d. 22 Sept. 1892.
e. Mary Emma, b. 24 May 1891; d. 18 Sept. 1892.
f. Anna Neal, b. 28 July 1894; d. 2 Dec. 1898.
g. Laura Bell, b. 13 June 1896.
h. Margaret, b. 15 June 1900.

133. HARRY RANDOLPH KING (Robert T.-Isaac-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 29 Oct. 1864 at Leechburg, Pa. He was educated in the public schools after which he learned his trade as a sheet roller. He married Fanny, daughter of Mark and Sarah Lewis McAfee 17 Dec. 1892. She was born in Panty Pool, England, 17 July 1870 and came to America with her parents when a young child. They are members of the Lutheran church and reside at Cannonsburg, Pa. He is a Democrat. Issue:

174. a. Robert Addison, b. 2 Feb. 1894; res. Cannonsburg.
b. Lillian Lenora, b. 11 July 1897; res. Niles, Ohio.
175. c. Walter Scott, b. 2 Oct. 1905.
d. Ralph, b. 8 June 1907; died 7 Aug. 1907.
e. Paul Rudolph (twin) b. 8 June 1907; d. 15 Oct. 1907.
176. f. Richard Jones, b. 9 July 1909.

134. FREDERICK WALTER KING (Robert T.-Isaac-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born at Leechburg, Pa. 28 Apr. 1878. He received his education in the public schools. He married Mary Pearl, daughter of William and Johanna (Schulze) Banner of Youngstown, Pa. She was b. 21 Apr. 1889. He is an iron worker. He is a member of the Lutheran church and of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows. In politics he is a Democrat and resides at Cannonsburg, Pa. Issue:

a. Wallace William, b. 17 Nov. 1907.
b. Robert Schulze, b. 16 Aug. 1910.

135. JOHN HARVEY KING (George William-John Jacob-Geo. Adam-Matheus-Abraham). He was born in Butler Co., Pa. 21 Jan. 1850; married 9 Aug. 1883 Margaret Jane Kaylor, born 28 Oct. 1863, died 28 Feb. 1838. He was a farmer and butcher in his younger days; was educated in the common schools; was a Republican and a member of the Reformed church. He died 3 July 1912. Issue:

a. Harvey Calvin, b. 20 Aug. 1884; d. 25 Sept. 1884.
b. Lillian May, b. 13 Feb. 1887. She mar. 9 Mch. 1916 Henry Albert Lauterman, b. 16 Mch. 1891. He is a farmer and member of the Lutheran church. Res. Cold Spring, Pa.

136. DANIEL SYLVESTER KING (George W.-John Jacob-George Adam-Matheus-Abraham) was born 31 Mch. 1853 in Butler Co., Pa. He married Anna Hertwerk 9 Nov. 1880. He had a common school education. Early in life he was a butcher, later he was a pumper at the oil wells and also worked on his father's farm. He was a member of the German Reformed church and a Republican. The family resided at Brady's Bend, Pa. Issue:

a. Charles S., b. 23 Sept. 1881; mar. 15 Oct. 1902 Ida Stout; res. Taylor City, Pa.
b. Joseph G., b. 21 Feb. 1883; d. 3 Jan. 1892.
c. Katharine C., b. 5 Mch. 1885.
d. Maude E., b. 16 Nov. 1886, d. 30 Jan. 1919.
e. D. Ella, b. 20 Dec. 1887; d. 22 Dec. 1942.
f. William J., b. 9 Feb. 1890, d. 16 Feb. 1890.
g. Rose Emma, b. 10 Jan. 1891, d. 21 July 1891.

137. JARED DALE KING (George W.-Jonathan-Jacob-George Adam-Matheus-Abraham) was born 2 Apr. 1862 and baptised 21 Apr. 1862 the same being recorded in the St. Paul's Reformed church records, Sugar Creek twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. He was a pumper at the oil wells in the above mentioned county. He married Mary Emma Kepple 18 June 1885. She was born 6 Feb. 1868. They were members in the Lutheran church, Mt. Pleasant twp. in which church he served as a deacon for many years. P.O. address: Chicora, R.D. # 1. Issue:

177. a. George William, b. 14 Oct. 1887.
178. b. Ralph Howard, b. 8 Mch. 1889.

c. Clarence Wesley, b. 15 Aug. 1890; res. Youngstown, O.; married; no issue.

d. Harry Guy, b. 2 June 1892; mar. Martha Hilger, b. 20 Sept. 1890; employed at the oil refinery at Karns City; res. Brady's Bend, Armstrong Co., Pa.

138. AARON ALVIN KING (George W.-Jonathan-Jacob-George Adam-Matheus-Abraham) was born in Burler Co., Pa. 25 Feb. 1872. He married Eva Maude Shakley 15 May 1898. She was born 9 Aug. 1878. Her father served in the Civil War in which he was wounded and died from blood poison from the bullet wound. He was a private in Co. C., 139th Regt. Mr. King is a member of the Reformed church and his wife is a member of the Baptist church. He is a farmer and a Republican. Resides at Kaylor; P.O. address, Karns City, R.D. # 3, Pa. Issue:

a. Grace H., b. 4 May 1897; mar. 18 Nov. 1919 Emmet Griffiths, b. 6 Nov. 1896; members of the Reformed church. He served in World War I and was overseas in hospital service. He works in the Penn. Drake Laboratory; res. Kaylor, Pa. Issue: Milford R. Griffiths, b. 2 June 1921 and Rose Marie Griffiths, b. 6 Oct. 1939.

b. Stella G., b. 15 Nov. 1902.

c. Winifred F., b. 23 Apr. 1906. Employed in Dashen Hospital.

139. DAVID LUTHER KING (George-Johannes-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 19 Oct. 1845 at 3:30 P.M. in the sign of the twins, in Kittanning twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. He was educated in the common schools, taught school a number of terms, and later engaged in farming which he continued for many years. He later retired and resided with his family at Youngstown, Westmoreland Co., Pa. He married Mary Ann Irwin. She died 31 Mch. 1920, age 75 years. He died 6 Feb. 1924. Members of the Lutheran church. Issue:

a. Martha Bella, b. 8 Feb. 1872; mar. Owen L. Helfferich.

179. b. George Irwin, b. 9 Aug. 1878.

c. Sadie A., b. 6 Apr. 1881.

d. John Chester.

e. Mary Ella, b. 29 Dec. 1873.

f. Perry Raymond, d. y.

140. JOHN BUNYON KING (George-Johannes-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 26 Mch. 1848 at 8:45 a.m. in the sign of the bowman in Kittanning, Pa. On 13 May 1869 he married Amanda J. Ashbaugh. He died 26 Aug. 1892; she died 24 Mch. 1918. Both buried at St. Michael's church. He was educated in the common schools, taught a number of years and then engaged in farming. He later sold his farm and moved to Leechburg, Pa. and engaged in the mercantile business. On account of sickness he gave up his business and suffered a number of years from cancer of the stomach from which he died. Member of the Lutheran church. Issue:

a. Mary Luella, b. 13 Mch. 1871; d. 1 Apr. 1887.
Tombstone reads: "Lula M."
180. b. Welty Sarver, 22 Sept. 1880.

141. AARON CALVIN KING (George-Johannes-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 22 Apr. 1854 at 4:30 P.M. in the sign of the fishes in Kittanning twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. He married Angeline Altman and resided in Wickboro. He had a common school education, taught five or six years after which he farmed some and engaged in the general store business. Later he followed the trade of painter. He and his family were members of the Lutheran church at Kittanning. He was a Democrat. He died 23 Oct. 1925. Issue:

a. Bertha Agnes, b. 24 May 1876; mar. Harry Wolf.
b. Effie married Samuel Reese.
181. c. Charles C., b. 20 Feb. 1888.
d. Vernon, b. 30 Jan. 1892.
e. Paul, b. 31 Jan. 1895.

147. JAMES WESLEY KING (George-Johannes-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 29 Sept. 1859 at 6 A.M. in the sign of the scorpion in Burrell twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. He was educated in the common schools, at the Leechburg Select School and at Thiel College, Greenville, Mercer Co., Pa. He taught in the common schools of Armstrong County for four winter terms and later taught a select school at Brick Church two terms. He began the study of law with Hon. Edward S. Golden at Kittanning and was admitted to the Armstrong County bar in May 1886. A Democrat in politics he always took a part in the County, State and National campaigns and for a dozen years was county chairman of the Democratic party. He was several times elected a school director. He was honored by his party with the nomination for the Assembly but failed to be elected. In 1909 he was

a candidate for President Judge of the courts of Armstrong County but was defeated by only 16 votes. In 1913 he was again a candidate for the office and was elected by a handsome majority. Judge King was married 25 May 1887 to Miss Ida Lillian, daughter of John and Nancy Roll Cooper at Oakdale, Pa. She was born at New Bethlehem, Clarion Co., Pa. 3 July 1864. Her father was a cousin of James Fennimore Cooper, the author and novelist. Mr. and Mrs. King were active members of the Lutheran church. She died 15 Dec. 1935. He died 27 Sept. 1949. Issue:

182. a. James Perry, b. 8 Mch. 1889.
b. Fennimore Cooper, b. 24 Apr. 1891 in Kittanning. He enlisted at Gary, Indiana, 23 June 1916 in Mexican Border service with Company F, First Infantry. He was honorably discharged from the National Guards to accept a commission in the national Army during the World War 16 Jan. 1918 from which he was finally discharged 30 Oct. 1919.

143. JOHN LYNNS KING (Gideon-Johannes-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 25 July 1857 in Gilpin twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. He attended the township schools. On 4 Sept. 1888 he married Mary Margaret Miller at Butler, Pa. On 14 May 1896 he married at Manorville, Pa., Miss Anna Baird. His third wife was Mary Isabel Ruth whom he married 5 Sept. 1911. He was a farmer, a member of the Lutheran church and a Republican. He died 5 Sept. 1914. Had issue with the first wife only.

a. Arthur, b. 20 May 1889; d. in infancy.
b. William, b. 23 Oct. 1890; d. in infancy.
c. Frederick Aye, b. 24 Mch. 1892.

144. GIDEON JAMES KING (Gideon-Johannes-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 9 May 1859 in Gilpin twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. He received a common school education and learned the carpenter's trade. On 18 June 1890 he entered the service of the Allegheny Railroad Company and after more than 34 years of continuous service he was placed on the Pennsy Roll of Honor at the age of 65. He was married 25 Feb. 1896 to Laura Belle Lamison and resided at Wickboro. He is a member of the Lutheran church and a Republican. Had issue:

a. Wade Albert, b. 23 Dec. 1897; employed on the P.S. & N.R.R.
b. Mary Fonda, b. 14 July 1899; mar. C. R. Elliston; reside at Oil City, Pa.

c. Malma Belle, b. 22 Sept. 1900; she married Oscar Transue; res. Kittanning, Pa.

145. ROBERT ORR KING (Gideon-Johannes-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 2 Jan. 1863 at Valley twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. He received a common school education and then secured a position as track foreman in a coal mine. He was married at Kittanning 6 July 1887 to Sarah Jane Hill and resided at Leechburg, Pa. He is a Republican and a member of the Lutheran church. Issue:

a. Gideon James, b. 12 June 1888.
b. Earl Franklin, b. 24 Nov. 1890.

146. ADAM BENJAMIN FRANKLING KING (John-Johannes-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 5 Dec. 1847 in Burell twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. He married his cousin, Mary Elizabeth, daughter of Gideon and Mary (Wolf) King born 25 July 1846 in Kittanning twp. and died 12 May 1905. They were married at Pittsburgh, Pa. 29 Mch. 1869. Issue:

a. Cora Edith, b. 18 May 1873, d. 8 July 1907.

147. HARMON ALVIN KING (John-Johannes-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 7 Apr. 1852. He was a merchant and resided at Brick Church, Armstrong Co., Pa. He married Anna Clarissa Woodward, dau. of Samuel and Leah Schall, who died 4 Mch. 1945. He died 15 June 1922. Had issue:

183. a. Owen Jesse, b. 17 Mch. 1875, mar. Louisa Cook.
b. Oliva Pearl, b. 11 Oct. 1876; mar. 11 Dec. 1906 to Dr. Charles N. Wilson, b. 11 Dec. 1871, son of Jacob and Rebecca J. (Fetter) Wilson. Issue: Donald Alvin, b. 21 May 1908, Loyal King, b. 19 June 1812.
c. Edna Mabel, b. at Brick Church; res. Ford City, Pa.; a noted contralto vocalist at Pittsburgh, Pa.

148. SAMUEL ALBERT KING (John-Johannes-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 1 Sept. 1858 in Armstrong Co., Pa. He died 9 Jan. 1929. He married Louisa Woodward. Issue:

184. a. Clarence Eugene, a physician, b. 1 Mch. 1884.
b. Olive Burdalia, b. 5 June 1885, d. 18 Jan. 1945. Educated at Elderton Academy 1906; Indiana State Teachers' Normal 1910. She taught for many years in the public schools and was an active church worker, serving as president and secretary

of the Missionary Society, superintendent of the Sunday School, in the Luther League and as a lifetime member of the choir of St. Michael's Lutheran church.

149. JAMES KING (Daniel-Thomas-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born May 1870 in South Bend twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. He engaged in farming in the same county and is a member of the Reformed church and a Democrat. He married Myrana Melissa Weaver. Issue:

a. Paul was in the World War.
b. Edna.
c. Olive.
d. Anna Catharine.
e. May Margurite.
f. Eveline Lucille.
g. Jennie.
h. Esther Ruth.
i. Daniel Leroy.
j. Carl Weaver.

150. WILLIAM S. KING (Matthias-Solomon-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born in Manor twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. 19 Mch. 1859 and resided in the same twp. practically all his life. He died 26 Mch. 1930. His wife, nee Heilman, died Oct. 1929. They are buried in Manor cemetery. Had issue:

a. Frank.

151. WILLIAM JACOB KING (Tilghman-Charles-Jacob-Jacob-Abraham) was born in Fogelsville, Pa., about 1875. He was manager at the J. W. Gearhard Carriage Factory and resided in Allentown, Pa., the greater part of his life. He was formerly a coach trimmer. For the last 15 years he was in the real estate business. For two years he served as Alderman of the 7th ward. He was a member of the Trinity Evangelical church and of the New Temple Chapter No. 720, F. & A.M. He was twice married. His first marriage was on 12 May 1894 to Alice, daughter of Milton and Fannie Kaufman of Coopersburg. She was born 8 Feb. 1876 in Springfield twp., Bucks Co., Pa. and died 4 Nov. 1913; buried in the Mennonite cemetery, Coopersburg, Pa. His second marriage was to Minnie daughter of Henry and Mary (Deibert) Peters 7 Aug. 1914. He died 12 Feb. 1931 of Brights Disease and is buried in Fairview Cemetery, Allentown, Pa. Had issue:

First marriage

a. Fannie, mar. Alvin A. Albright.
b. Tilghman Charles, b. 16 July 1897.
c. Alma G., mar. C. Milton Donmoyer; res. Allentown.
d. William Jacob, b. 27 Oct. 1904 at Kutztown, Pa.; mar. Margaret M. Iobst of Emmaus June, 1929. He is a salesman and a member of Lodge No. 720 F. & A.M.
e. John Wesley, b. 27 June 1906, d. 21 Sept. 1906.
f. Arlene N., res. Philadelphia.
g. Charles F.

152. ROYCE DANIEL KING (Cornelius-Charles-Jacob-Jacob-Jacob-Abraham) was born in Bethlehem, Pa. 5 Feb. 1888. He married Carrie S. Clark of Catasauqua, Pa. June 1912. She died Feb. 1932. He married, 2nd, Helen Kaffell, nee Seiler. They reside at Pittsburgh where he is in the employ of Jones Laughlin Company. Issue:

First marriage

a. James Clark, b. 21 June ; he married Cornelia Gore of Baltimore, Md.

153. WALTER CORNELIUS KING (Cornelius-Charles-Jacob-Jacob-Jacob-Abraham) was born in Philadelphia, Pa. 27 Sept. 1896. He graduated from Lehigh University, class 1921. He married Ellen Kathrin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bowman 25 June 1927. Mr. King is a chemical engineer in the employ of H. Kappers Company, Philadelphia. His wife was first assistant librarian of the A. Herr Smith Library of Lancaster, Pa., and later librarian of Franklin and Marshall College. Issue:

a. Anna Cornelia, b. 21 July 1929.

154. WILMER VICTOR KING (Adam-Edward-Thomas-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born in Lower Saucon twp., Northampton Co., Pa. 26 June 1894. He married Edith Mabel Pearson 26 Aug. 1922. Had issue:

a. Gladys Florence, b. 19 Apr. 1929; d. 26 May 1929.

155. ELMER KING (Adam-Edward-Thomas-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born in Northampton Co., Pa. 3 Aug. 1899. He married 11 June 1927 Miriam Helen Shade, b. 13 May 1910. She was a daughter of Isaac and Mary (Shelly) Shade. He is a steel worker. Res. Hellertown, Pa. Issue:

a. Lester Walton, b. 5 Feb. 1928.
b. Delores Maria, b. 3 Feb. 1932.

156. EDWARD FRANKLIN KING (Adam-Edward-Thomas-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born 12 May 1902 in Lower Saucon twp. He married 24 Sept. 1920 Maude Mabel, daughter of Amos and Mary Ziegenfus. She was born 11 Aug. 1899. He died 27 Nov. 1937. He was employed at the Bethlehem Steel Company. Issue:

a. Naomi Gladys, b. 21 Feb. 1921; mar. Woodrow Buss 6 July 1940.
b. Helen Anna, b. 3 Feb. 1923.
c. Paul Edward, b. 21 Nov. 1925.
d. Betty Viola, b. 4 Aug. 1927.
e. Dorothy Harriet, b. 19 June 1929.
f. Joyce Lorine, b. 2 Jan. 1931; mar. Donald Rohrbach 25 Dec. 1943.
g. Mary Emma, b. 11 Dec. 1933.
h. Donald Charles, b. 6 July 1936.

157. CHARLES WILBUR KING (Wilbur L.-Isaac L.-Thomas-Johannes-Jacob-Abraham) was born 28 Aug. 1907 in Bethlehem, Pa. He received a public school education, graduating from the Bethlehem High School, class 1925. He then entered Dartmouth College from which he graduated with class 1929. He also took a special course in the University of Virginia. He is a member of Theta Delta Chi Fraternity. On 3 Mch. 1834 he married Catharine Curtis Morley[50] of New York City, the Rev. Dr. Geo. W. Richards of Lancaster, Pa. officiating. After leaving college, Mr. King entered the employ of the American Dry Ice Corporation in New York City. In 1934 he moved with his family to Chicago, Ill. where he is connected with the Pure Carbonic, Incorporated, as Regional Manager. He is a member of the Union

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[50]Catharine Curtis Morley, b. 9 June, 1909, is the daughter of M. Howard and Curtis, nee Portwood, Morley. William Morley and his wife Catharine, nee Lacey, resided in England. They had three children: Cecil who had no children, Ethel who had two children (both of whom remained in England), and M. Howard Morley who came to America at an early age. The later married Curtis Portwood of Kentucky. Their only child, Catharine Curtis Morley, is the wife of Charles Wilbur King. The mother of Mrs. King is a descendant of Ambrose Portwood and his wife Louis Miller, a daughter of Armstead Miller and his wife Polly Beckinridge who is a descendant of Major General John Cabell Beckinridge, Vice-President of the United States in 1856 with James Buchanan, President. Ambrose and Louise Portwood had a son Armstead M., b. 27 Oct. 1849, d. 1890, who married Alice May Ripy, b. 31 July 1852, d. 24 Oct. 1892 and resided in Lawrenceburg, Ky.

League Club of Chicago and the Westmoreland Club of Wilmette. The family are members of the Methodist church. They reside in Wilmette, Ill. They have children:

a. Charles Wilbur, b. 18 Apr. 1935.
b. Howard Morley, b. 14 Sept. 1939.
c. Catharine Elizabeth, b. 13 Dec. 1941.

158. GEORGE HENRY KING (Benjamin F.-Henry-Henry-Christopher-Jacob-Abraham) was born 1 Aug. 1874. He resided near Nazareth, Pa. and was a mechanic. On 2 Oct. 1867 he married Lillian J., daughter of Charles and Ebian (Fritchman) Koehler, b. 27 May 1872. He died 13 July 1950 and is buried at Hecktown, Pa. Issue:

a. Charles Henry, b. 6 Feb. 1900.

159. ROBERT CHARLES KING (Benjamin F.-Henry-Henry-Christopher-Jacob-Abraham) was born 4 Dec. 1876 in East Allen twp., Northampton Co., Pa. He was a member of St. Mathews Lutheran church and served on the church council and was a former teacher of the Ladies Bible Class of the Sunday School. Mr. King graduated from the University of Missouri in 1905 with degree of bachelor of science and from the Lehigh University with a masters degree of B.S. in 1919. He taught school in East Allen twp., Bethlehem twp. and was principal of the Lower Mt. Bethel Independent school. He also taught in the Bethlehem school system, the Easton School System and was a supervisor of apprentices of the Bethlehem Steel Company for seven years and at the same time taught evening classes in the Bethlehem Business College. He also taught in Leberty High School until his retirement. He married Miss Sarah Josephine Levering[51] of East Bangor, Pa. 7 May 1908. He resided in Bethlehem and died 3 Apr. 1950. Had issue:

a. Jenevie L., b. 4 Sept. 1908; mar. Ernest Kunz.
b. Mildred E., b. 7 Jan. 1910; graduate of State Teachers College, Kutztown, Pa.; taught in Edgeboro school,

[51]Lewis Ferdinand Levering, born about 1790 at Lancaster, Pa., mar. 25 Oct. 1835 Barbara Carolina Lambert, b. near Lititz, Pa. They moved to Bethlehem, Pa. where he was a toll keeper at the New Street Bridge. They had 13 children. A son Albert F. Levering mar. Sarah Stehler and had children: Mrs. William Ham of East Bangor; Mary wife of Albert Sellers; William; Sarah J. wife of Robert C. King; and Henry of Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Bethlehem. She mar. Norman A., son of Asher A. Rice of Northampton, Pa. He was in the U.S. Army in India in 1943.

c. Mary Ruth, b. 7 Feb. 1912; graduate of State Teachers College, Kutztown, 1932; mar. William J. Geiger 7 May 1944. Res. 235 Overbrook Rd., Ambler, Pa.

d. Woodrow W., b. 27 Sept. 1914. In World War II; mar. Minnie Gregory. Res. Lufton, Texas.

e. Gerard L., b. 24 Dec. 1916; mar. Joan Wilcox born in England. He is a graduate of Harlingen Army Gunnery School. Served in World War II.

f. Majorie S., b. 4 Apr. 1918; mar. Pershing V. Jones; res. Easton, R.D. 3, Pa.

g. Dorothy L., b. 24 May 1919; mar. Leroy F. Smale; res. Bethlehem.

h. Helen Mae, b. 10 May 1921; mar. Kenneth M. Coyle.

i. Robert C., b. 19 Dec. 1922; mar. Katharine Blanche Van Why 19 Mch. 1951. In World War II.

160. CLAYTON FRANKLIN KING (Benjamin F.-Henry-Henry-Christopher-Jacob-Abraham) was born 22 April 1879, baptised 4 June 1879 by Rev. I. W. Bieber. He acquired his education at the Bethlehem Preparatory School and Lehigh University and for seven years served as a Public School teacher. He married Lillie Ann Jones of East Allen twp., Northampton Co., Pa., a daughter of Hugh and Catharine, nee Gersbach, Jones Dec. 1903. He was a member of Lodge #720 F. & A.M. and Lehigh Consistory A.A.S.R. He was a real estate broker and resided at Allentown, Pa. Mrs. King died 9 July 1937 in her 56th year. She was a member of St. John's Lutheran church. Mr. King died 10 May 1946. Both are buried in Grandview cemetery, Allentown. Issue:

a. Paul J., graduated from Allentown Preparatory School and attended Lehigh University; mar. Ann Wetherhold.

b. Evelyn C., graduate of Allentown High School, class 1927 and of Moravian college for Women, class 1931; mar. Walter Schwenk.

c. Harmon W.

d. Richard J.

e. Leslie B.

161. FRANK MARTIN KING (Charles E.-Henry-Henry-Christopher-Jacob-Abraham) was born 15 Apr. 1893 in Nazareth, Pa. He graduated from the Nazareth High School in 1911 and then attended the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy, class 1915. For one year before the World War he was employed with a large pharmaceutical firm in Philadelphia. In 1917 he enlisted in the United States Navy, serving two years at the naval base, Southampton, England. Returning from the war in 1919 Mr. King took up business again with a drug concern in Philadelphia and became co-partner in the King-Jones Drug Co., Allentown soon after. He married in 1925 Miss Minna Steyert. He was a member of Christ Lutheran church and the Allentown Lions Club. He died 23 Nov. 1935 and is buried in Grandview cemetery. Issue:

a. Richard.

162. MERVIN WESLEY KING (David-Jonathan-John George-Jonathan-Matheus-Abraham) was born 16 Jan. 1853. He was in the lumber and feed business in Berlin Center, Ohio. He married Sarah A. Hardgrove of Canal Fulton. Members of the Methodist church. He died 19 Aug. 1922 and is buried at Berlin Center. Issue:

a. Clarence Martin, b. 8 Apr. 1882; a farmer; mar. Pearl Culler 22 Sept. 1910; d. Dec. 1949.

163. FRANK MERVIN KING (David-Jonathan-John George-Jonathan-Matheus-Abraham) was born 13 Oct. 1860. He was a physician at Damascus, Ohio, and died 3 Jan. 1906; buried at Salem, Ohio. He married Ida M. Bates 24 Dec. 1885. Issue:

a. Leon J., mar. Iva Hull Oct. 1912. He d. Nov. 1932.
b. Alma V., mar. Fred Addicott 9 Jan. 1917. Issue: Joan Orma, Jean King, and Lillian Elizabeth.

164. GEORGE LINCOLN KING (David-Jonathan-John George-Jonathan-Matheus-Abraham) was born 27 Mch. 1865; member of the Methodist church. He married, Miss Myra Mitchell 31 Dec. 1895 at Mt. Vernon, Ohio. She died 11 June 1921. He is an oculist and aurist. Resides, Alliance, Ohio. Issue:

185. a. George Lincoln, b. 23 Mch. 1900.
b. Phoebe Mitchell, b. 5 July 1902. Graduate from School of Design for Women, Philadelphia, 1926; mar. Dick Kreppe.
186. c. Douglas Stone, b. 7 Sept. 1907.

165. WARREN H. KING (Joseph-Jonathan-John George-Jonathan-Matheus-Matheus-Abraham) was a machinist and inventor. He married Ida Mae Wanamaker and died 1912. Buried at North Jackson, Ohio. Issue:

a. Laura A., res. Warren, O.
b. Helen A., mar. Warren Trimble; res. Warren, O. Issue: Warren and Elizabeth.
c. Frances M., mar. Leland McGuire. Employed by Marshalls Drug Company; res. Cleveland, O.

166. ORVA T. KING (Joseph-Jonathan-John George-Jonathan-Matheus-Abraham). Orva T. was a son of Joseph and Lucinda (Greenamyer) King of North Jackson, Ohio. He married Serena Myers who died 29 Oct. 1922. He was a farmer and a member of the Presbyterian church. Had issue:

a. Ruth Naomi, mar. Edward C. Cramer, a contractor. Res. W. Quakertown, O. Issue: Lester and Norman.
b. Martha Alberta, mar. Mark A. Cox. She d. 17 Nov. 1923; res. Youngstown, Ohio. Issue: Myron Herbert; Wilbur Edmond; William Leroy; Helen Irene; Donald and Martha Mildred.
c. Wade L., an automobile mechanic; res. North Jackson, O.
187. d. Dwight L.

167. PERRY DAVID KING (Joseph O.-David-Joseph-John Jonathan-Matheus-Abraham) was born in Armstrong Co., Pa. 27 Apr. 1889; married 24 Nov. 1915 Nellie Beyers, b. 2 May 1890. He was a farmer and a track layer in the coal mines; member of the Baptist church. Issue:

a. David William.

168. WILLIAM FRANCIS KING (Francis M.-Solomon-Isaac-George A.-Matheus-Abraham). William Francis King was born 10 Nov. 1880 at Parker's Landing, Pa. On 30 Mch. 1900 he married Elizabeth H. Bowser. He is a member of the Lutheran church, a Democrat, and a member of Lawrenceburg Lodge No. 782, I.O.O.F. He is a bottle blower by trade and resides at Parker's Landing. Has issue:

a. Thomas Francis, b. 20 Nov. 1900.
b. William Kline, b. 3 Nov. 1903.
c. Robert Bruce, b. 3 Nov. 1906.

d. Harry James, b. 22 Mch. 1912.
e. John Arthur, b. 19 Aug. 1914.

169. EDWARD KLINE KING (Francis M.-Solomon-Isaac-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born at Parker's Landing, Pa. 29 Jan. 1883. He received a common school education and then learned the bottle blower's trade. On 26 June 1913 he married Florence McKinney at Kittanning, Pa. He is a member of Lawrenceburg Lodge No. 782, I.O.O.F., the Lutheran church and a Democrat. Issue:

a. Samuel Kline, b. 2 Aug. 1914.
b. Helen Eliza, b. 23 Apr. 1916.

170. FRANCIS M. KING (Winfield S.-Solomon-Isaac-George Adam-Mathias-Abraham) was born 8 June 1871 at Parker's Landing, Pa. He married Frances Fowler and died Mch. 1, 1938. Had issue:

a. Raymond, res. New Kensington, Pa.
b. Graham, res. Verona, Pa.
c. Frank, res. Oakmont, Pa.
d. Walter, res. Oakmont, Pa.
e. Buehla, res. Turnersville, Pa.

171. ALBERT COLLINS KING (Winfield S.-Solomon-Isaac-George A.-Mathias-Abraham) was born 22 July 1873 at Parker's Landing, Pa. He married Tilly May Shaw and resides at Sacramento, California. Issue:

a. Walter.
b. Charles, res. Chicago, Ill.
c. Harry.
d. Marguerite.
e. Carl, res. Chicago, Ill.

172. FERDINAND PROTZMAN KING (Winfield S.-Solomon-Isaac-George A.-Mathias-Abraham) was born 22 Jan. 1877 at Parker City, Pa. He married Maude Galbraith and resides at San Francisco, California. Issue:

a. Madaline.
b. Maude.
c. Ferdinand.

173. HARRY WADE KING (Winfield S.-Solomon-Isaac-George A.-Mathias-Abraham) was born 7 Sept. 1879 at Parker City, Pa. He married Ethel May Bissell and resides at Cannonsburg, Pa. Had issue:

a. Ethel Bissell, b. 6 May 1903, d. 1 Dec. 1911.

174. ROBERT ADDISON KING (Harry R.-Robert T.-Isaac-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 2 Feb. 1894. He married Margaret Tait Cushnie and resides at Cannonsburg, Pa. Have issue:

a. Richard Addison, b. 24 Aug. 1919 at Cannonsburg, Pa.
b. Marian Leanor, b. 10 Dec. 1921 at Elm Grove, W. Va.
c. Audrey Fay, b. 20 Nov. 1924 at Elm Grove, W. Va.
d. Margaret Janice, b. 27 Apr. 1938 at Cannosburg, Pa.

175. WALTER SCOTT KING (Harry R.-Robert T.-Isaac-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 2 Oct. 1905 at Cannonsburg, Pa.; was married to Sarah Louise Bigi 25 July 1935 and has issue:

a. Thelma Jane, b. 12 June 1936 at Houston, Pa.
b. Karen Brooks, b. 12 Feb. 1938 at Cannonsburg, Pa.
c. David Michael, b. 27 Feb. 1941 at Midway, Pa.

176. RICHARD JONES KING (Harry-Robert T.-Isaac-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 9 July 1909 at Cannonsburg, Pa.; married Florence Marie Mack 25 July 1933 at Glenfale, California. Had issue:

a. Richard Douglas, b. 25 Mch. 1938 at Hollywood, Calif.

177. GEORGE WILLIAM KING (Jared D.-George W.-Jonathan-Jacob-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 14 Oct. 1867. He mar. Dollie E. Lewis who was born 1 July 1887. They reside in Karns City, R.D. # 2, Armstrong Co., Pa. Issue:

a. Mildred Alene, b. 2 Nov. 1906; mar. Harry E. McMillen, Jr.
188. b. William Dale, b. 18 Aug. 1911.
c. George Wendell, b. 18 Aug. 1914; mar. Rebecca Kemmerer.
189. d. Alvin Glen, b. 3 Nov. 1917.
e. Garnet Ferne, b. 20 Nov. 1922.

178. RALPH HOWARD KING (Jared D.-George W.-Jonathan-Jacob-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 8 Mch. 1889. Married, 1st, Charlotte, daughter of John King; mar. 2nd, Ruby Board; res. Akron, Ohio. Issue:

First marriage

a. Hazel.

179. GEORGE IRWIN KING (David L.-George-Johannes-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 9 Aug. 1878 in Westmoreland Co., Pa. He married Mary Catharine Ackerman 3 Dec. 1903. He is a member of the Sons of the American Revolution. Residence, Canton, O., since 1920. Issue:

a. Dorothy, b. 18 Sept. 1904; mar. 22 Sept. 1927 to H. S. Anthony.
b. Virginia, b. 20 June 1906; mar. 17 Sept. 1926 to M. M. Crawford; issue: Richard King Crawford, b. 13 July 1927.
c. George Byron, b. 5 Mch. 1908, d. 12 Dec. 1926.
d. Charles McDonald, b. 8 Jan. 1910.
e. Romayne, b. 1 Oct. 1911.
f. Richard Wayne, b. 9 Sept. 1913.
g. David Luther, b. 17 Oct. 1918; mar. Violet Pearl.
h. Betty, b. 13 July 1920; mar. Geo. L. Haiber a soldier in World War II.

180. WELTY SARVER KING (John B.-George-Johannes-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 22 Sept. 1880, in Burrell twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. He married Pearl Millen King 24 June 1908. Issue:

a. Virginia Kuhns, b. 11 Apr. 1907.
b. Glenn Wesley, b. 20 Oct. 1908; served in the World War.
c. Winona Winfred, b. 26 Sept. 1911.
d. Marcella.

181. CHARLES C. KING (Aaron C.-George-Johannes-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 20 Feb. 1888 in Kittanning twp., Armstrong Co., Pa. He married 25 June 1912 May Showers. Issue:

a. Nellie, b. 25 Jan. 1915.
b. Sarah M., b. 2 May.
c. Helen C., b. 28 July.

182. JAMES PERRY KING (James W.-George-Johannes-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born in Kittanning, Pa. 8 Mch. 1889. He attended the public schools and entered Pennsylvania College, Gettysburg, Pa., where he graduated in class 1913. He married Sarah Grossett, daughter of John Grossett, 21 June 1918. He is Postmaster at Kittanning. Issue:

a. John Wesley, b. 22 Feb. 1920; graduate from Gettysburg College, 1942.
b. Barbara, b. 2 Apr. 1922.

183. OWEN JESSE KING (Harmon A.-John-Johannes-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 17 Mch. 1875; married Louisa Cook; resides at Ford City, Pa. Had issue:

a. Herman.
b. David.
c. Warren J. He was in the U.S. Service during World War II as Technical Sergeant and was awarded the Distinguish Flying Cross and the Air Medal with three Oak Leaf clusters. He entered the army Aug. 1942 and was sent overseas in Aug. 1943.
d. Frances.
e. Eleanor.

184. CLARENCE EUGENE KING (Samuel A.-John-John-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 1 Mch. 1884, son of Samuel Albert and Sarah Louisa King, of Brick Church, Armstrong Co., Pa. Education: Eldereridge Academy 1904; Medical College of W.U.P. (Pitt) 1908. He married Wilda Weaver 2 May 1912, dau. of Horace S. and Mary (Martz) Weaver of Butler, Pa. She was born 2 May 1887 at Dayton, Pa. and was graduated R.N. from the school of Nursing, Braddock General Hospital, Braddock, Pa., 1910. Dr. King entered active service 12 Dec. 1917 in the Medical Reserve Corps as 1st Lieut. After preliminary training was attached to Ambulance Co. 150, Sanitary Train 113, 38th Div.; commissioned Captain 25 July 1918, being attached with the Embarkation Surgeon's office. St. Nazaraire, France; discharged from service 26 July 1919. Mr. King is a Republican, a 32° Mason, member of Jaffi Temple of the Shrine, the Cambria County Medical Association, and the Mt. Nittany Post of the American Legion. His present address is 731 N. Allen St., State College, Pa. Issue:

190. a. Samuel Albert, b. 23 Aug. 1914.
191. b. John Weaver, M.D., b. 18 Dec. 1915.
c. Mary Louise, b. 29 May 1917 at Elmore, Pa.; education B.S. in Home Econ., Penna. State College 1937; M.S. 1938. At present she is living with her parents.

185. GEORGE LINCOLN KING (George L.-David-Jonathan-John George-Jonathan-Matheus-Abraham) was born 23 Mch.

1900 in Alliance, Ohio. Education: Mount Union College, A.B. 1922; University of Pennsylvania, M.D. 1926. He is a physician (Ophthalmologist) in his native city. Republican. On the 18 June 1925 he married Margaret Catharine Wagner, dau. of Jacob John and Margaret (Yost) Wagner at Cleveland, O. She was born at Bellaire, O. 17 June 1901. Dr. King is a member of the Board of Trustees, First Methodist church and President of the Board of Trustees, Mount Union College, Alliance, O. During the World War he was reserve captain in the Medical Corps, called to active duty 13 July 1941 and served through the various grades to Lt. Col. Relieved from active duty 24 Dec. 1945 and promoted to Colonel USAR. He was certified by the American Board of Ophthalmology; member and former president Stark Co. Med. Soc.; member of the Ohio State and an American medical assn.; Fellow of the American Academy of Ophthalmological and Otolaryngology and Cleveland Ophthalmological Club, member and former president Staff, Alliance City Hospital, member of Alliance Kwanis Club and Alliance Chamber of Commerce; member of Masonic Lodge, Elks, Moose and American Legion, Alpha Tau Omega, Phi Rho Sigma and Alpha Omega Alpha (Honorary) Medical Fraternities. Has issue:

a. David Douglass, b. 17 Feb. 1928.
b. Roderick Lincoln, b. 16 Apr. 1930.
c. Judith Kathie, b. 19 Feb. 1933.

186. DOUGLASS STONE KING (George L.-David-Jonathan-John George-Jonathan-Matheus-Abraham) was born 7 Sept. 1907 in Alliance, Ohio. He married 16 June 1932 at Cleveland, O., Kathryn Middleton, daughter of Charles Samuel and Elda Carmer Middleton. She was born at Cleveland 4 Aug. 1909. After completing a medical education he located at Alliance, O. as a specialist as a physician and surgeon. He is a member of the Methodist church. Issue:

a. Christopher, b. 11 May 1934.

187. DWIGHT L. KING (Orva T.-Joseph-Jonathan-John George-Jonathan-Matheus-Abraham). He received a High School education after which he took up the occupation as a millwright. He married Gladys A. Hart and resided in North Jackson, Ohio. Issue:

a. David C.
b. Edward Lee.
c. Hazel Naomi.

188. WILLIAM DALE KING (George W.-Jared D.-George W.-Jonathan-Jacob-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 18 Aug. 1911. He married Louisa Kemmerer and resided in Armstrong Co., Pa. Had issue:

a. Myrna Dale, b. 27 May 1884.
b. Obie Gaylord, b. 23 Sept. 1943.

189. ALVIN GLEN KING (George W.-Jared D.-George W.-Jonathan-Jacob-George A.-Matheus-Abraham) was born 3 Nov. 1917; married Esther Sharkley. He was a sargent in the United States service during the World War. Issue:

a. Alvin Paul, b. 22 June 1943.

190. SAMUEL ALBERT KING (Clarence E.-John-Johannes-George Adam-Matheus-Abraham) was born 25 Aug. 1914 in Elmore, Cambria Co., Pa. Education: B.A., Penn. State College 1936; M.A., Ibid., 1937. Inducted into the U.S. Navy 12 Oct. 1943; was transferred to the Seabees on special assignment. After boot training at Camp Peary, Va., he was detailed to the staff of Seadust base newspaper of Gulfport, Miss. In May 1944, he was assigned to Const. Batt. Maint. Unit No. 600 and went to Pearl Harbor, T.H. After 18 months duty overseas, he returned home for leave and was reassigned to the U.S.S. Tuscaloosa. On 19 Apr. 1946 he was discharged at Lido Beach, N.Y. He resumed his position as instructor of History, the Dubois Undergraduate Center of Pennsylvania State College. No issue.

191. JOHN WEAVER KING (Clarence E.-John-Johannes-George Adam-Matheus-Abraham) was born 18 Dec. 1915 at Elmora, Pa. Education: B.S., Penna. State College, 1936; M.S., Ibid. 1944. While in Medical School he was enrolled as an A.S.T.P. student and was commissioned 2nd Lieutenant, U.S.A., 1944. He married Caroline Elizabeth Roberts Feb. 1946, the daughter of Albert and Vern (Keller) Roberts of Drifton, Pa. She was born 12 Oct. 1924 and was graduated from the School of Nursing, Jefferson Hospital, Philadelphia. Dr. King was Associate Professor of Bacteriology at the University of Vermont, Vt. and on 1 July 1950 became Chemical Pathologist at Cleveland Clinic. Has children:

a. John Weaver King, b. 4 Dec. 1948.
b. Christina Elizabeth King, b. 25 Sept. 1950.

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